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"SOLEMN MOCKERY" ENDS MANILA OLYMPIAD

Outspoken Attack on "New" Organisation



Social and labour unrest in the United States may be further intensified as the result of the Darrow Report on N.R.A. activities. Stormy scenes have recently been witnessed all over the country, notably in connection with the longshoremen's strike and the knitting factory strikes. Photo shows a scene on the Philadelphia strike-torn front. Note the woman with the upraised umbrella.

CAT'S PAW OF JAPAN

STORM OF PROTEST IN MANILA

"BETRAYAL" BY FILIPINOS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Manila, May 22.

A storm of strongly expressed disapproval has been aroused by the action in concert of the Philippines and Japan in dissolving the Far Eastern Athletic Association and forming a new organisation, calling itself the A. A. A. of the Orient.

The Filipino delegates, in particular, are roundly condemned on all sides for permitting themselves to become the cat's-paws of Japan.

China's refusal to participate is considered to be entirely justified. The widespread spirit of protest is exemplified by an outspoken leading article in this morning's Manila Bulletin.

The article recalls that China was the moving spirit twenty-two years ago in the foundation of the Far Eastern Athletic Association and continues:

SOLEMN MOCKERY.
"Yesterday, in an atmosphere of solemn mockery, surcharged with hypocrisy, the Philippines took its orders from Japan and assisted in bowing China out of the picture, with due attention to constitutional technicalities."

"China is quite right under the circumstances to withdraw, but it will be a long time before all of us can understand why the Philippines had to be a party to such a shabby procedure."

COWARDLY BETRAYAL.
"Of course, the Philippines had a perfect right to make its friends where it thinks best, but if Tokyo is so much more important, the Philippines might, at least, admit it and tender a profound apology to China rather than add the insult of insincerity to the injury of cowardly betrayal."

In the meantime, the Chinese delegation, of which Dr. C. T. Wang is the head, has addressed a wireless message to Nanking, reporting the developments, showing that the change of Association is only in name and a palpable trick, and maintaining that the meeting held by Japan and the Philippines yesterday was illegal.

POLITICAL PRESSURE?
The message says that the Chinese delegation did not receive due notice of the meeting or the matters to be dealt with, and infers that the Japanese brought political pressure to bear because the Consul-General, Mr. Kumura, was present.

The message is gentle with the Philippines, hinting merely that they were outmanoeuvred. Formal denunciation of Chinese policy has made it clear that Chinese participation in the A.A.A. of the Orient is most unlikely.

BOMB-THROWING IN ALEPPO HOTEL

Political Outrage Suggested

Aleppo, May 21.
Several arrests have been made in connection with the throwing of a bomb in a leading Aleppo hotel where the President and Premier of the Syrian Republic were staying.—Reuter.

HOSPITAL PRACTICE

TUNG WAH DOCTOR REPLIES

ACCIDENT CASES

Sir.—Under the column Notes of the Day in your issue of May 19th, is a paragraph bearing the heading "Tung Wah and others", in which reference was made to a case of accident which was alleged to have been refused admission into the Tung Wah Hospital, because "the proper procedure had not been followed", and your paragraph-writer went on to state "the Hospital has not yet ventured any reply to the complaint."

May I make the following observations in reply?
1. I first saw the above-mentioned complaint in another paper on 18th inst, and in your paper on 19th inst. Partly due to investigations which were pending, and partly because the Medical Staff of the Hospital has other work to do, reply to the complaint has been delayed. Your paragraph-writer's suggestion of not "venturing" to reply is therefore based on an erroneous assumption.

2. There is no question of admission being refused merely because of a complaint.
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THREE WOULD-BE SUICIDES

RESCUES FROM THE HARBOUR

Half-drowned, an alleged would-be suicide, Chung Yin, living with her family at 10 Third Street, was picked out of the harbour off the Western Praya yesterday, and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

A second case was also reported to the Police. The individual concerned being a man, Ho Yin-ping, who threw himself from the Mong-kok ferry Man Lee, but was rescued by a seaman.

An attempt to take his life by similar means has also come to light with the admission to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday of Ho Chal-yuen, who was rescued from the harbour at West Point yesterday.

All three cases have since been discharged from hospital.

CHINA'S INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Sir Frederick Maze's Comment

London, May 21.
Sir Frederick Maze, Inspector-General of the Chinese Maritime Customs, arrived at Southampton on furlough until October to-day. In an interview with Reuter, he declined to discuss political questions, but remarked upon the great industrial developments in China which are bound to have a far-reaching effect upon international trade.—Reuter.

SENSATIONAL GOLF AT PRESTWICK

DUNLAP WINS AFTER OPPONENT REACHES DORMEY FIVE

BRITISH AMATEUR OPEN PROVIDES THRILLS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, May 21.

Thrilling golf and some sensational recoveries were features of the British Amateur Open Championship tournament at Prestwick to-day.

Several prominent American competitors, including three of their Walker Cup players, were defeated, and the captains of both the British and American teams were among the big "victims" of the day.

The most sensational golf was provided by George Dunlap, the American amateur champion, and H. G. Packenham-Walsh, the Anglo-Indian player from the Royal Calcutta Club.

They were followed by a crowd of over four thousand which was rewarded by a fireworks recovery finish by Dunlap which must be among the most remarkable performances in the history of the championship.

DORMEY FIVE AND LOST!

Shortly, Packenham-Walsh was dormey five and Dunlap won!

When it seemed impossible that Packenham-Walsh could lose, Dunlap suddenly produced a spell of inspired golf in which his opponent's lead was whittled down to nothing. Dunlap won the fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth holes, in better than par, to square the match at the eighteenth.

Packenham-Walsh fought gamely over the extra holes. He halved the 19th, 20th and 21st, but was beaten on the 22nd.

LEAD A SNARE.

In the stage of this amazing match, Dunlap was very erratic and Packenham-Walsh thoroughly deserved his advantage at the thirteenth. It is possible that his apparently invulnerable position proved a snare, but Dunlap's finish was superb and he is strongly fancied after this escape.

Another great fight was seen in the match between Robert Harris, ex-champion, and Jack Westland, the American Walker Cup player. Here again the American proved the winner at the 22nd hole. There was no sensational recovery, but the match was almost equally entertaining, as they fought out each hole, first one player securing the advantage and then the other, the feature, however, being the number of halved holes.

SUCCESSFUL BRITONS.

Cyril Tolley, Roger Wethered, Ian McLean, Eric Fiddian and Stanley Lunt were all successful in their matches.

H. G. Bentley, Britain's Walker Cup captain, was badly beaten. His opponent was the Welsh international, Ivor Thomas, and the match terminated on the fifteenth green, Thomas winning by five and three.

QUIMET OUT.

Francis Quimet, the American skipper, was defeated by one of his compatriots. He went down to Moreland on the eighteenth, beaten by one hole.

J. Wooliam, the ex-English

champion, was beaten by the Australian, Dr. Carew-Nott (Royal Adelaide).

U. S. DEFEATS.
A young Scottish player named Wallace removed one of the leading challengers in Egan (U.S.A.) who could not hole his putts and lost 4 and 3.

D. H. R. Martin (Britain) beat Max Marston, the American crack and open champion, by two and one.

A fairly high wind prevailed during the day, placing a premium on good judgment.—Reuter Special.

BOMB EXPLODES IN POST OFFICE

TWO OFFICIALS INJURED

WASHINGTON INCIDENT

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Washington, May 21.
Two officials of the Post Office were injured to-day when an explosion occurred in the Washington G.P.O.

The explosion was caused by a bomb which had been packed in a hollow "book" and was being sent through the mails.

Federal investigators refuse to disclose other than the flimsiest details of the affair, but it is rumoured that the parcel was posted in New York and that it was intended for an address in the Balkans. No confirmation has been received, however, and its appearance in Washington suggests that it may have been sent to the diplomatic representative of a Balkan State.

MANGLED HAND.

The explosion lacerated the face and badly mangled the hand of the clerk, Myron Genuy, who was handling the parcel, and caused minor injuries to a messenger standing nearby.—United Press.

H.E. the G.O.C., Major General O.C. Barrett, returns this afternoon after his inspection of the military units in the northern ports, on board the s.s. Menestheus.

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ECONOMY AXE IN BULGARIA

CABINET MINISTERS' CUT SALARIES

DISTURBANCES IN MACEDONIA

Sofia, May 21.

Except in Bulgaria's storm-centre, Macedonia, the Fascist coup d'etat appears to have been accompanied by complete calm among the general populace.

Sofia is rapidly returning to normal conditions.

The new Fascist government is wielding the economy axe vigorously.

Cabinet Ministers have received the most drastic cuts. They are to receive the equivalent of about £430 per annum, instead of £1,200 yearly under the old regime and they are required further to disburse with private railway carriages and official motor-cars.

Similar but lesser economies are being imposed upon all Government departments.

SOPIA CURFEW LIFTED.

Sofia is quite quiet, enabling the curfew to be lifted and most of the police and military patrols to be withdrawn.

The censorship of telegrams leaving the country has also ceased.

Martial law is, however, being firmly enforced in Macedonia, where disturbances are reported to have occurred, although there is no confirmation.

MACEDONIAN ARRESTS.

It is also reported that the well-known Macedonian leader, Mihailoff, has been arrested.

A number of Macedonian leaders who were attending a party congress at Varna are reported to have been taken into custody and to have been interned at Lom.—Reuter.

BORDER INCIDENT

MOSLEMS SHOT BY BULGAR GUARDS

Four of a group of eight Bulgarian Moslems, who attempted to cross the Bulgarian border into Greece, were shot and killed by Bulgarian frontier guards in the district of Kishukavak. A semi-official communique states that the Moslems were induced by foreign propagandists to leave clandestinely.

JAPAN SCARED BY A MERE SHADOW

French Journal Comments on Rajchman Report

Le Journal commenting on the Rajchman report and Japan's objections to his liaison work with the National Economic Council of China, says that the National Council's 1934 budget for China—an anti-hill of over four hundred million inhabitants—amounts to Mex. \$15,000,000 only, half of which will be absorbed by road construction work.

"It can, therefore, be concluded, that the Japanese are scared by a mere shadow, as regards international co-operation in China."

"It is also evident," the paper goes on, "that the possibilities of action offered by the present policy in China are very limited. China does not lack the right technical personnel and has well conceived concrete reorganization plans. The majority of capable people, however, are kept away from public functions, owing to the fact that they do not see eye to eye with the present regime."

DARROW REPORT CONTROVERSY

BOARD MAY BE DISBANDED

MORE EXPOSURES PROMISED

Washington, May 21.
The indictment of N.R.A. is furnishing Washington with its keenest controversy since the advent of the New Deal.

As a sequel to the Darrow Report, well-informed quarters state, the National Recovery Review Board is likely to be disbanded on June 1.

In the meantime, considerable reverberations are anticipated with the opposing factions now lining up for battle.

The exchange of verbal brickbats over the criticism of the effect of the operations of N.R.A. was resumed to-day when Mr. Clarence Darrow, on behalf of the members of the Review Board, replied to General Johnson's "infuriated clamours."

The Board declared that its conclusions had remained unswayed, and remarked that when the monopolists and profiteers uncovered by the Report pause to take breath, it may well be seen that certain basic facts have been totally and intentionally disregarded.

The Board promises a second report during the coming weekend, in which they will analyse the results of their review of industries in addition to those already dealt with, and in which conditions are alleged to be even worse than those reviewed in their first report.—Reuter.

HONGKONG DOLLAR ADVANCES

ROOSEVELT MESSAGE TO-MORROW

The Hongkong dollar advanced 1/8th this morning to 1s. 5d. Very little business is passing, the market being dull but steady.

Speculators are awaiting President Roosevelt's message to Congress on silver legislation, which is expected to be made to-morrow. Silver has advanced 1/8th in New York to 45.3/8.

A workman was seriously injured at Shing Mun Gorge yesterday when he fell and fractured his skull. The man was taken to the Kowloon Hospital.

SALVADOR LEADS THE WORLD!

Japanese Diplomatic Triumph!

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San Salvador, May 21.
It is officially announced that the Republic of Salvador (Central America, pop. 1,522,000) has recognised Manchukuo.—United Press.

DISASTER FUND

DANCE ACADEMY'S CONTRIBUTION

FRESH CASES DEALT WITH

The Telegraph Fund for the sufferers in the gas-works disaster continues to receive support, a further substantial sum having been received this morning.

Quite a number of applicants had their cases investigated at the St. John Ambulance Brigade distribution centre this morning, grants being made where the bona fides and need were established.

One of the cases dealt with to-day was that of a woman who had been badly burned on the hands, head and legs and who only came out of hospital yesterday.

Amongst the applicants are numbers of people who suffered burns but have not received hospital treatment. Where necessary, these are being sent to the Government Civil Hospital for dressing of their injuries, grants also being made in case of need.

The Ambulance Brigade has received a further sum of \$300 from the Kung Shing Po Fund.

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Married Flirts

by MABEL McELLIOTT

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

GYPSEY MORELL and TOM WEAVER are married the same day as LILA HOTALING and DEREK BLISS. Lila expects to live in luxury, but Gypsy intends to keep her job, teaching in a settlement house. The first night Gypsy and Tom spend in their New York apartment. VERA, an old friend of Tom's, telephones. Tom asks her to luncheon to meet Gypsy, but Gypsy can't get away from work to go. After a hard day at school she rushes home to find that Vera is coming to call on them, to let her see the two girls who dislike each other so much. Tom seems relieved when Vera leaves.

Weeks later Lila and Derek return from their honeymoon in Europe.

CHAPTER V

It was Lila's voice on the telephone, sweet, slightly fretful, as always. "Is that you, Gypsy? We got back last week. I'm dying to see you."

Of course, Gypsy didn't take this literally. Lila was given to exaggeration. Lila was given to exaggeration.

"Do come for dinner next week," Lila urged. "How about Tuesday? Is Tuesday free?"

Gypsy, smiling to herself, said that Tuesday would be fine. Lila's air of supposing that Tom and she had a full calendar of engagements amused her. This was Saturday afternoon. Gypsy was glad she'd been at home when Lila called. Dinner at the Bliss's on Tuesday gave her something gay to look forward to. What with watching the budget, and seeing that the bills were paid, the young Weavers had little to spend on amusement.

Then she began to worry about her dress. She didn't want to look "bridey"—that was fatal—but the ivory dress she had worn on her wedding day was the only really formal frock she owned. She took it out, stared at it critically, and decided that, without sleeves, it would do very nicely. She had made it so that the back might easily be cut down to a V, while the front was fashionably high, after that season's mode. Yes, with her last year's red slippers, it would do!

But when she routed out those slippers, they proved sadly disappointing. The last time she had danced in them, an irremediable grease stain had appeared from nowhere on the toe of the left one. Gypsy struggled, with cleaning fluid and chalk, to remove this. But all her efforts only made the spot more stubborn.

"They look awful!" She was ready to weep. It would be the grossest extravagance, she thought, to buy a new pair for Lila's dinner party. Tom, dashing in just then, whistling gaily, found her on the floor of the bedroom, bottles, slippers and rags strewn about her face woebegone.

"What's up?" Gypsy sat back on her heels, pushing back her curly mop. "Just these awful shoes."

"What's the matter with 'em, honey?"

She held out the offending object.

"This one's mess. I simply can't wear it."

"Well, what's all the excitement? I didn't know we were going places."

"Lila's home. We're invited to dinner."

"Oh, that. Gosh!"

"You don't want to go?"

He grinned at her. "Of course, I do. Tell you what, we'll go out now and buy you a new pair."

She said accusingly: "Thomas Weaver, you know rent day comes next week. And your insurance."

He snapped his fingers. "Right you are. Well, what about those ivory dinguses you wore with the dress?"

She struck at her forehead. "What a fool I am! I'd clean forgotten my wedding shoes. I can have them dyed."

She would have them dyed green, brilliant green, and wear the little string of jade-coloured beads Father had given her on her last birthday.

Tom watched her, smoking idly, as she rummaged through box and drawer, in search of the ivory slippers. She was conscious of his unwelcome silence, and turned to look at him, surprising some new, troubled expression in his eyes.

"What's the matter, darling?" He squinted through the smoke.

"Nothing—only I wish I could give you things. You weren't very bright to marry a poor man, Gypsy. You ought to have luxuries. You're so pretty and so young."

"Will you stop harping on that?" He was serious, he said. It made him feel ashamed. A pair of scuffed and shabby dancing shoes, moulded to the shape of

Gypsy's small feet, accused him.

"Darling, what do you think I want out of life?" Gypsy wanted to know, abandoning the search.

"Just money and the things it buys? You ought to know better than that."

Tom said moodily that, of course, he did. But it wasn't much fun for her, he could see that. If she'd married Marko Broughton...

Gypsy laughed aloud. "As if I ever considered that!"

"Well, he did, anyhow." Tom tramped about the room now, seeming too big for the place. His shoulders were so broad, his legs so long, he made the little table and chair tremble.

"D'you suppose he'll be there Tuesday?" He frowned at her.

Gypsy said, lightly, "How should I know? He's Derek's boss."

"Blooming king of finance," growled Tom. "Thinks he's a buccaneer."

Gypsy couldn't help giggling at him—a little. Tom was not appeased. How funny that he should be, after all this time, and after being married to her for two months, still jealous of Marko Broughton!

She pretended not to notice, and went hunting her ivory slippers. They were nowhere to be found.

"I must have left them at home," she said. "Although it's funny, if I did, Mother didn't find them before this."

They did not intend to go out to Blue Hills on the morrow, so she telephoned the house. No, Mrs. Morell had not seen the wedding slippers. They seemed to be irretrievably lost.

This was in the nature of a catastrophe for Gypsy. She came back into the living room, where Tom was sitting at the gate-legged table, with all his papers and figures spread out before him, and sat down without saying a word.

Tom pushed back the welter of work and ran his fingers through his hair. "Find 'em, honey?"

She shook her head.

"Well, look, why don't you run over before the shops close and get a pair now. You may not have time Monday."

Gypsy said, stubbornly, that she'd wear the red ones. She did

not add what she thought in her heart, they looked simply dreadful and Lila would be sure to notice.

She put on a cheerful face and went out to get supper. But the thought nagged her, as she boiled and skinned shrimps for salad and cut up handfuls of crisp white celery, and mixed mayonnaise. This time last year she would have rushed out, quite carelessly, to buy new sandals. She had spent a great deal of her salary on her young and pretty person. But now—well, it was not fair to Tom. And there were so many things they needed for the house. No, the red slippers would just have to do. And if Marko were there—well, it couldn't be helped, that was all!

Just the same, when she rushed home from work Tuesday evening to bathe and dress, her heart sank as she stared at the slippers. Her dress was all right. She had worked on it last night. It looked quite in the mode. Trust

Gypsy for that. But not even her clever fingers could transform scuffed and soiled dancing shoes into the semblance of new ones.

Thank goodness her little black velvet wrap with the white fur ("cat" the twins called it) still looked nice!

She sang in the tub. It was exciting, going to a party. It was fun. She sat wrapped in her blue negligee, as Tom's key grated in the lock.

"I'm running the tub for you, darling!" She stuck the shoes out of sight, under a chair. Better not put them on until the last minute. She just wouldn't think about them until she had to.

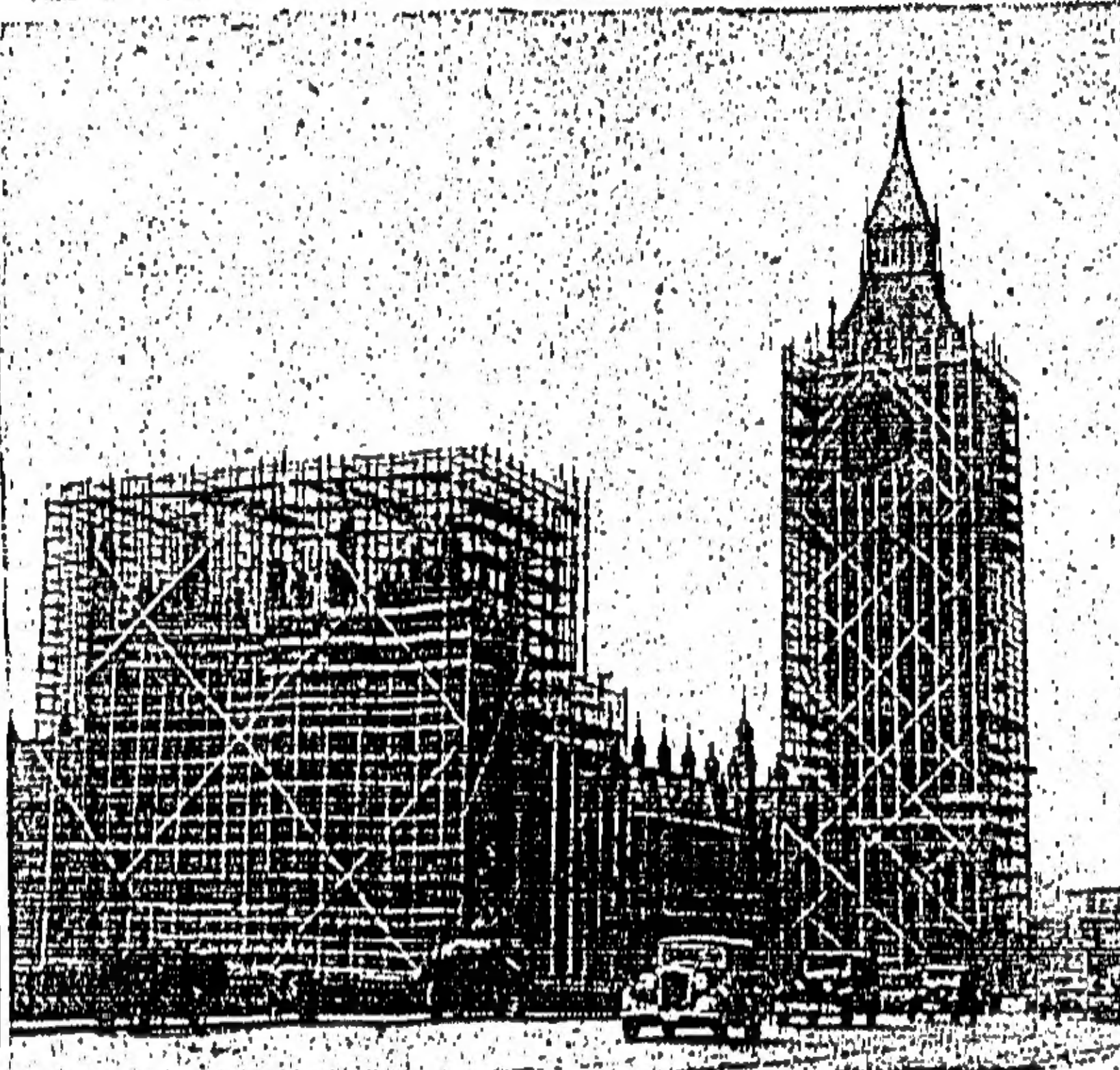
He came down the hall and leaned against the doorframe, regarding her. "Gosh, you look pretty!"

The mirror gave back the reflection of a curly-haired girl with wide, soft, eager eyes. Tom came to her and kissed her swiftly.

"Let me see those shoes."

She hunted them out and gave

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The famous clock tower of Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament are now surrounded with scaffolding for repairs to the stone work which will take a number of years to complete.



Interested spectators at a great international race in Germany. Some of the most provident took hammocks with them, hanging them between the trees along the route.



Modern Gold-Diggers. The gold panning season has re-opened in Southern California and our picture shows pleasure seekers trying out their luck under the tutelage of an old-timer.



The old equestrian skill is not entirely extinct from the circus arena. Our picture shows sisters, mistresses of the bareback riding art.



This American couple are not superstitious. On Friday the 13th they were married and just after the wedding ceremony they lit together with the priest three cigarettes from a single match!



Educating croupiers in Paris, made necessary by the recent authority for all French casinos to have roulette wheels.

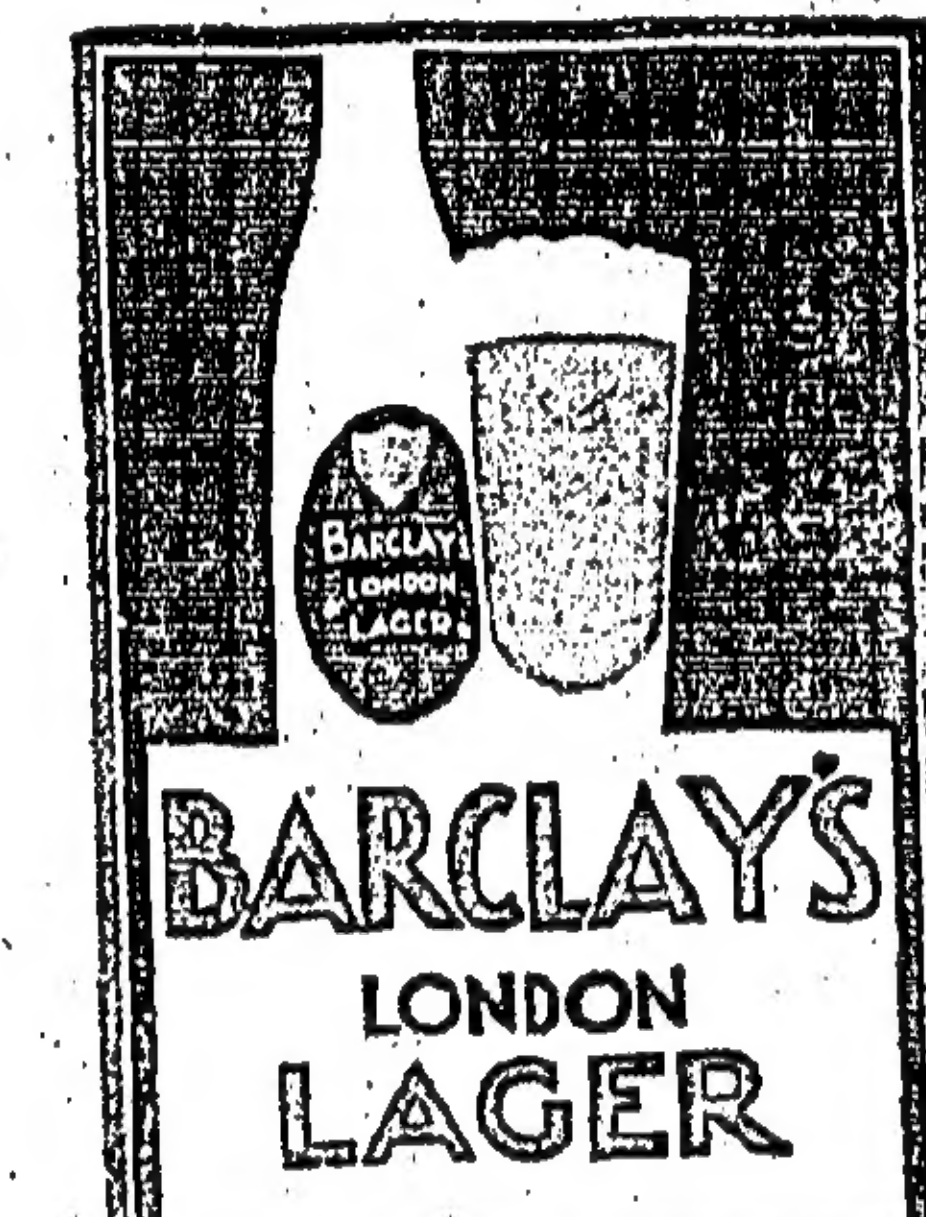


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2. The application form must be signed by a Head Master, who will certify that the candidate is a bona fide pupil of Class 4 or equivalent standard, that his conduct has been satisfactory and that he is not more than 17 years of age on 1st September, 1934.

3. There will be preliminary Tests in both English and Chinese Dictation for which candidates should present themselves at Wansai Government School on Wednesday, 27th June, at 8.30 a.m. Candidates failing to satisfy the Examiners in the Dictation Tests will not be eligible to take the remainder of the Examination. Names of candidates who have satisfied the examiners in the Dictation Tests will be posted outside Wansai Government School on Friday, 29th June.

4. The remainder of the examination which comprises Chinese, English Grammar and Composition, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra and Practical Geometry will be held at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, 3rd July, and at 8.30 a.m. on each day from Wednesday, 4th July till Saturday, 7th July, both inclusive.

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NOTICE

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ORDINANCE, 1931.**

1. Attention is drawn to the provisions of the above Ordinance which comes into force on 1st June, 1934.

2. Unless specially exempted in writing by the Inspector General of Police or exempted by Section 2 (5) of the Ordinance, every alien other than an alien of Chinese race who is resident in the Colony at the commencement of this Ordinance is required to report the fact in person or in writing for registration at Police Headquarters within one month of such commencement, and every such person who arrives in the Colony or who changes his ordinary residential or business address or who is about to leave the Colony is required to report the fact at Police Headquarters within seventy-two hours after every such arrival or within one week before every such change of address or intended departure.

3. In any case of doubt a person shall be deemed to be an alien unless and until he produces a certificate, passport or other evidence to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police or of a Magistrate to the effect that he is a natural born or naturalised British subject.

4. The Registration Office at Police Headquarters will be open between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. on week-days.

E. D. C. WOLFZ,

Inspector General of Police.

**UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY
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(Incorporated in Hongkong)

Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 25th MAY, 1934, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1933, and of declaring Dividend, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 25th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1934.

**THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LTD.**
(Incorporated in Hongkong)

Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-FIFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 25th MAY, 1934, at 11.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1933, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 25th MAY, Both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1934.

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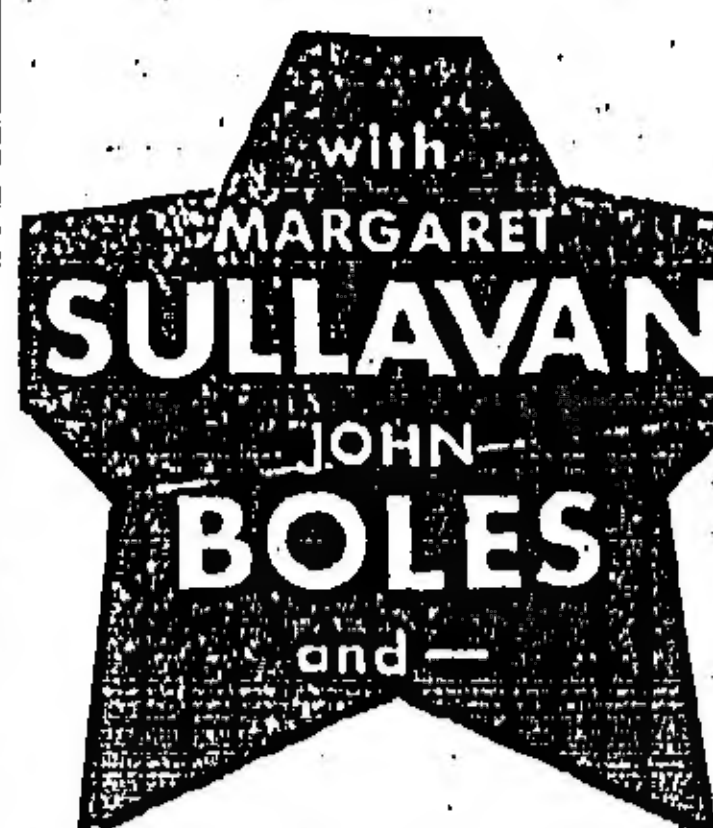
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 25th MAY, 1934, at 11.25 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1933, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th May to 25th May, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1934.



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TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.
H.K. Banks, \$1850 b.
H.K. Bank (London), \$130 1/4 n.
Chartered Bank, \$16 1/4 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$28 n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$15 n.
East Asia Bank, \$93 a.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$322 n.
Union Ins., \$605 b.
China Underwriters, \$145 n.
China Fire, \$525 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.
International Asse., \$6 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$41 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$9 n.
Indo-China, (Pref.), \$30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$33 n.
Shells (Bearer), 61 3/4 n.
Union Waterboats, \$1130 n.

Mining.
Antamoks, 67 cts. a.
Bulatoos, \$33 1/2 n.
Baguio Gold, 37 cts. n.
Benguet, \$32 1/4 n.
Benguet Exploration, 20 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$3 1/2 n.
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.
Itogons, \$7 n.
Kallian, 22 1/10 n.
Langkats (Single), \$18 1/2 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$180 n.
Shai Loans, \$5 1/4 n.
Ruba, \$16 1/4 n.
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.

Stocks.
H.K. Wharves, \$103 b.
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.
S. China Motors B., \$3 n.
Providents (old), \$1.00 b.
Providents (new), 75 cts. n.
Hongkows, Sh. \$350 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$5.20 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$133 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$11 n.
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75 n.
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$43 n.
Zhong Singa, Sh. \$13 1/2 n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$60 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. & S. Hotels, \$5.10 b.
H.K. Lands, \$61 1/2 b.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$25 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$11.20 n.
H.K. Realities, \$5.10 n.
Asia Realities "A", Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B", Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates, \$84 n.
China Realities, Sh. \$16 1/2 n.
China Debenture, Sh. \$137 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$21.20 b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15.90 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 1/2 n.
Star Ferries (old), \$100 b.
Yamatani Ferries, \$22 1/2 n.
C. Lights (old), \$9 b.
C. Lights (new), \$8 1/2 n.
H.K. Electric, \$73 1/2 b.
Macao Electric, \$21 b.
Sandakan Light, \$5 n.
Telephones (old), \$25 b.
Telephones (new), \$12.45 n.
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore Traction, 5/- n.
Singapore Pref., 10/10 1/2 n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, \$12 1/2 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), \$19 1/2 n.
Canton Ice, \$2.80 n.
Cements (new), \$2 1/2 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$5 1/2 n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$26 1/2 n.
Watsons, \$6 1/2 n.
Dor. & Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawford, \$4 n.
Mackintosh, \$21 n.
Sincere, \$11 1/2 n.
Wm. Powell, \$1.00 n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$120 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$3.75 b.
H.K. Entertainments, \$7 1/2 n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 1/2 n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$2 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.80 n.

THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LTD.

Notice to Shareholders.

The Fifty-third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Friday, the 25th May 1934, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1933.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 11th to the 25th May, 1934, both days inclusive.

**JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,
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General Agents.
Hongkong, 3rd May, 1934.

WALLACE HARPER & CO., LTD.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS OF WALLACE HARPER & CO., LTD. will be held at Lane, Crawford's, Hongkong, on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1934, at 5.15 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ended 31st January, 1934, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from May 21st, 1934, to May 28th, 1934, inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

J. F. SHEA,

Secretary.
Hongkong, 14th May, 1934.

CHICAGO FIRE

DETAILED LOSSES

Chicago, May 21.
Further details of the fire damage are divulged. Among the "total loss" properties are the Hall Stockyards, the Amphitheatre of the Percheron Society of America, the Brokers' National Bank, Stockyard Inn, a hunt of Chicago's millionaires, built like an old English hostelry and containing many valuable pictures; equipment of the Corporation Warehouse, the P. Brennan Packing Company's building, the Drovers' Journal Building, the Chicago Junction Railroad offices; Stockyards, Illinois, Bell Telephone Exchange, and the Saddle and Sirolo Club with its valuable art collection.—
Reuter.

BURNED TO DEATH.

BANDITS MURDER PARTY OF JAPANESE TROOPS

Dairen, May 21.
A force of 13 Japanese soldiers, who were riding by motor lorry near Ningnan, East Kirin, were ambushed and burned to death by bandits. It is learned here today.

The bandits, according to reports, caused the lorry to overturn at the point of ambush. They then pounced upon the stupefied soldiers, some of whom were severely injured. Having bound them, robbed them and soaked them with kerosene, they set them alight and escaped.—
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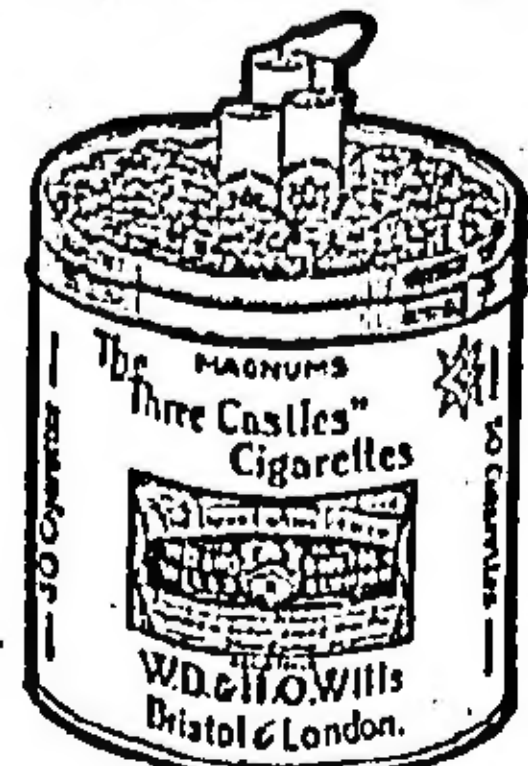
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2nd.—(Donated by Waibel & Co. ("DEFAC")) "Agfa" Superior C. Camera 8 x 14 cm with Anastigmat Trilinear f.6.3 lens, Compur Shutter and Self-timer. **VALUE \$60.00.**

3rd.—(Donated by the Eastman Kodak Company) Kodak 620, Anastigmat f.6.3 lens; 8 pictures 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 to the Verichrome Film Roll No. 620. **VALUE \$28.00.**

Consolation Prize of New 620 Box Brownie

SECTION 2

BATHING AND PICNIC PHOTOGRAPHS

1st.—\$50. 2nd.—\$20. 3rd.—\$10. Consolation Prize New 620 Box Brownie.

SECTION 3

CHINESE STUDIES. (FIGURES AND FACES)

1st.—(Donated by the Mayen Studio) Baldax Camera with Meyer f.2.9 lens, Compur Shutter and built-in self-timer (Timing 1 sec. to 1/250th Sec.) **VALUE \$75.00.**

2nd.—(Donated by Carlowitz & Company) Zeiss Ikon Camera. **VALUE \$35.00.**

3rd.—(Donated by Waibel & Co. ("DEFAC")) "AGFA" Speedex Record Camera, f.7.7. **VALUE \$25.00.**

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SECTION 4

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1st.—\$50. 2nd.—\$20. 3rd.—\$10. Consolation Prizes of New 620 Box Brownie and one "AGFA" Box Camera.

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- 1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- 2.—The Prizes will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by the form below.
- 3.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph* is reserved.
- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- 5.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.
- 6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- 7.—Photographs which must not be less than 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 (excepting in the Children's Section) should be printed in black and white, with the entry form lightly pasted on the back.
- 8.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- 9.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- 10.—Members of the Staff are not permitted to compete.
- 11.—The decision of the Judges shall be final.

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NAME
ADDRESS
DATE

Please use block letters and paste this on back of each Entry.
If entered in Children's Section, parent please countersign here.

MURDER RITUAL

SAMBURU TRIBESMEN OUT OF HAND

Nairobi, May 21.—Dwellers in North Kenya were horrified to-day when news of "a ritual" of murder, similar to those committed last year by the fierce Samburu warriors, reached the colony.

The Samburu affair, it will be recalled, led to a close Government investigation and the imposition of a heavy tribal fine and sharp warning.

It now appears that the Samburu have taken the path of murder again. The fresh crime was particularly cruel and revolting.

A band of Samburu warriors, desirous of "blooding" their spears, attacked two young herdsmen who were driving their stock to a water-hole. The warriors had laid an ambush in some deep forest and struck quickly before the young men had a chance either to fight or flee.

The herdsmen were horribly mutilated and finally put to death by the spear.

Subsequently a young son of a Kikuyu chief was waylaid by the Samburu tribesmen in the same way, his body mutilated and his life taken.

The authorities are believed to be acting swiftly to punish the perpetrators and to prevent a recurrence of the horror.—*Reuter Special.*

RED REFORM

CRIPPS DEMANDS WIDE POWERS

London, May 21.—Sir Stafford Cripps, the Socialist Party Congress in Leeds, declared to-day that any attempt to achieve Socialism in Britain by gradual steps would merely end in a capitalistic dictatorship.

The electorate, he declared, must be asked to give a mandate for the widest possible powers to achieve the capture of the capitalist citadel immediately and to effect the seizure of every means of economic control.

Swift, far-reaching and courageous action was the acid test of policy effectiveness. These he said, promise.

Sir Charles Trevelyan, addressing the Congress, advocated the building of hundreds of schools, designed to relegate Eton and Harrow to insignificance, in order to destroy the "public school spirit." The Conference passed a resolution in favour of a united front in all sections of Labour, including Communists, despite an urgent protest from Susan Lawrence. She said that Communists preached only violence as a means to an end, and made every Labour meeting into a bear garden. The inclusion of that group would wreck the Socialist League, she warned.—*Our Own Correspondent.*



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EDUCATION FOR SELF-SUPPORT

MORAL WASTAGE IN SCHOOLS

THE "moral wastage" of the secondary schools of the country brought about by unemployment was deplored by Lord Eustace Percy, M.P., in an address to the Conference of Youth, arranged by the Fourteen to Eighteen Conference Group, in London.

"We all realise the moral wastage which comes from juvenile unemployment," he said.

"I wonder whether we have any conception of the moral wastage which comes from working very hard for an examination at the age of 16, with the oppressive consciousness that success may be no good to you, and that you and a considerable percentage of your fellow scholars have very little prospect of employment.

TECHNICAL SCHOOLS BEST.

Lord Eustace described juvenile technical schools as the most promising form of school in the country, and the surest passport to employment.

It was enormously important that for the next three or four years the school life in central schools should be extended to the age of 15 and that a complete building programme should be undertaken to enable that to be completed within five years.

On the two foundations of the four years central school and the technical school they must base their future 14 to 18 policy.

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Many of the scholars would never slip into some niche in organised industry and education for self-support was essential between the ages of 15 and 18, far more essential than any raising of the school-leaving age.

The public schoolboy was probably the least trained to use leisure hours in the best way. In the past his leisure was based upon income which enabled him to kill animals in an expensive way.

Dr. J. C. W. Methven, Assistant Commissioner, Home Office, said ideally every lad should be able to attend school until he was 18. He suggested that it might be possible for public schools to offer scholarships to elementary schools, and that an exchange of masters between public schools and elementary schools might be arranged.

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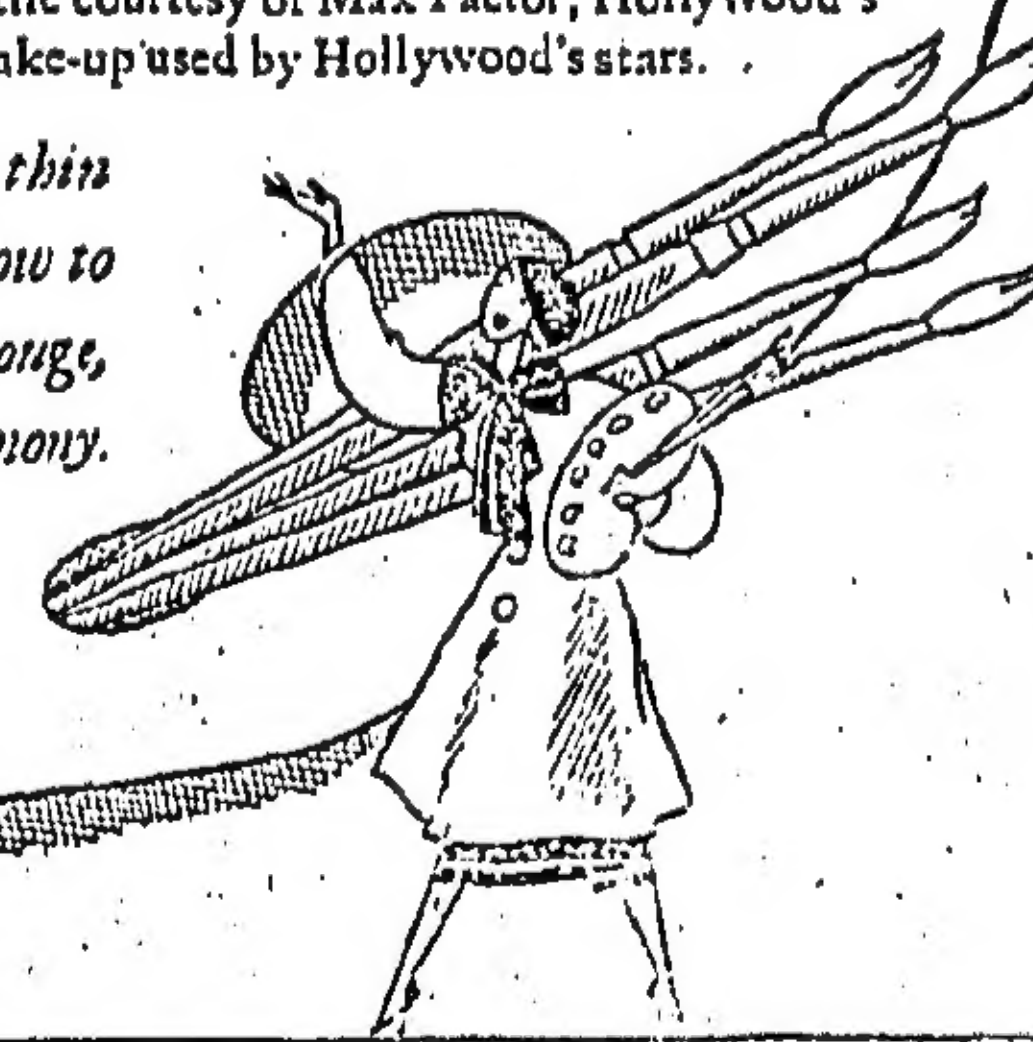
appointed Consul at Weihaiwei. Mr. Jamieson first came to China in 1902 as a student interpreter. In 1919 he became vice-consul and was raised to full consular rank in 1927. He is well-known in Hongkong and Canton.—*Reuter.*

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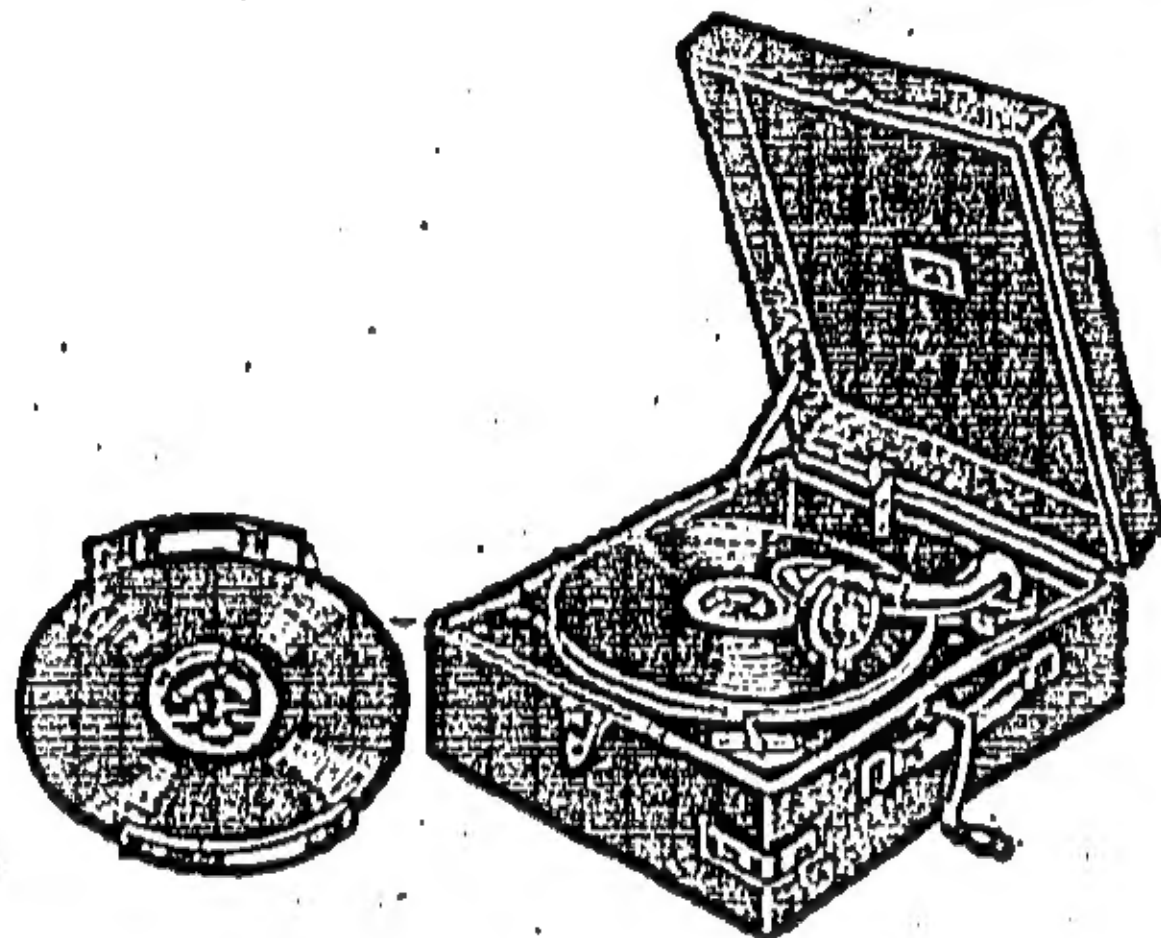
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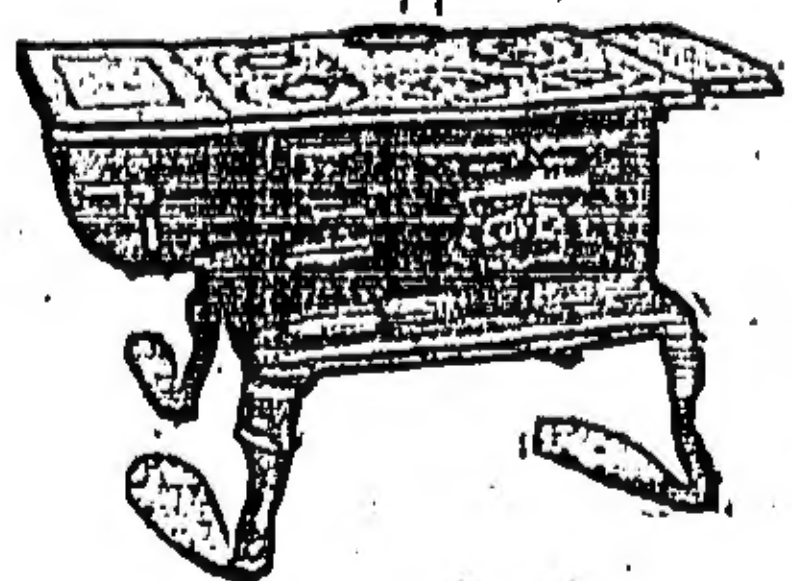
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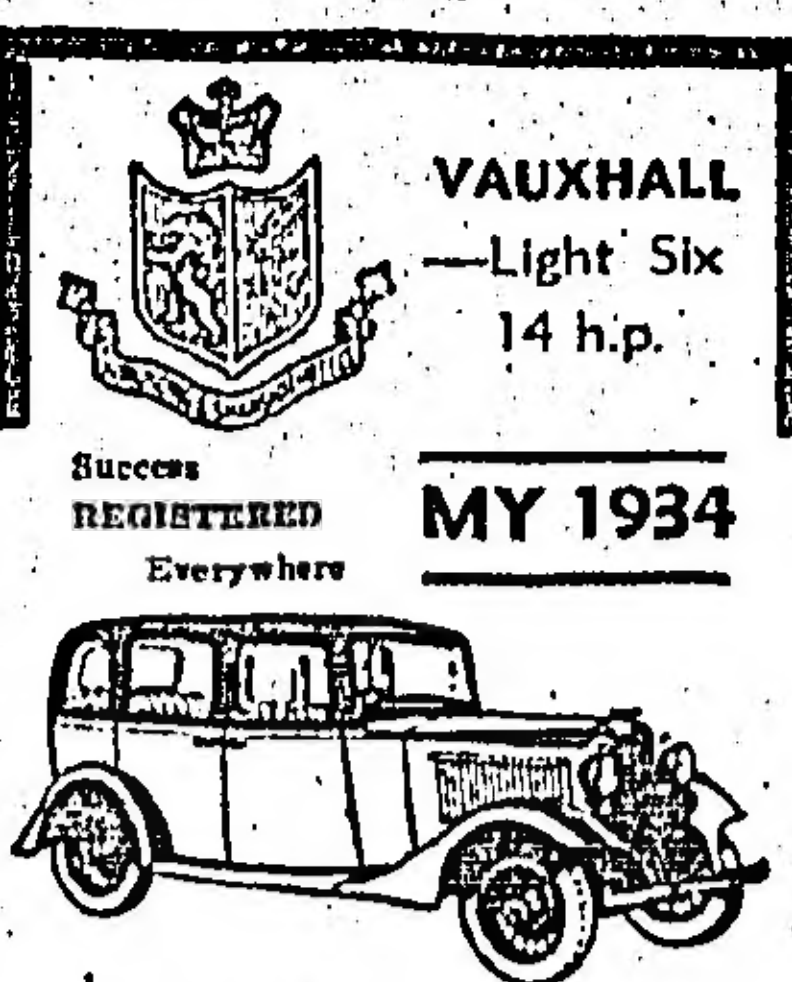


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TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1934.

THE BULGARIAN COUP

Europe and the world at large have received the news of the dramatic coup in Bulgaria, resulting in the establishment of a military dictatorship, with mixed feelings. At the moment, it is not possible to assess the developments at their precise significance, due in large measure to the intrigue, both internal and in regard to foreign alignments, associated with the upheaval. One thing is clear, namely, that the movement smacks of the Nazi order, in which there is to be no room whatever for freedom of thought, speech or written word. All political parties are being suppressed, Parliament is being replaced by a Government-nominated Chamber, and short work is evidently to be made of any elements whose ideas run contrary to those of the new dictatorship. The hint that the so-called Macedonian terrorist organisation is to be suppressed may be taken as an indication that a reign of terror may be instituted in this region, in accordance with Nazi traditions for subjugating political opponents. In these ways is the "Iron Fist" to be applied. The political and moral decomposition cited as necessitating the establishment of a dictatorship may well be nothing more than a disinclination to bow the knee to reaction. The likely political effects on Europe are of equal importance. In this connection it is a strange twist of circumstance which seems to bring this new Nazi dictatorship more into alignment with France than with Germany or Italy. Such is the expected upshot of Bulgaria now turning towards a policy of friendship and co-operation with Yugo-Slavia. Yet those who have been watching events in the Balkans latterly will not be altogether surprised at the suggested rapprochement between the Bulgars and the Yugo-Slavs, for it was not long ago that the two countries concluded a commercial treaty. This followed efforts by the Little Entente to link up all the Balkan States, in which King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia was given the task of wooing Bulgaria. Italy, however, is obviously upset at the latest developments, for it was believed that the ties between Rome and Sofia had been greatly strengthened when King Boris was wed to an Italian Princess. What the final outcome of the Bulgarian coup will be, it is impossible to say. But in view of the interests of certain Powers in the preservation of specific spheres of influence in the Balkans, any marked change in national policies in this restless region cannot be dismissed as of small account.

NOTES OF THE DAY

N.R.A. INDICTED

The Darrow Board's indictment of N.R.A. is severe, but not altogether unexpected. The institution of the inquiry was in itself illustrative of a suspicion that all was not exactly as it should be and was designed to be. And the result is damning. Briefly, the conclusion is reached that N.R.A. is repressive of the little man of business, that the new regimentation is no more able to reconcile private profit with public welfare than the old hit-or-miss system, that N.R.A. has, in fact, been exploited for the special interests of High Finance and the great monopolistic trusts. There was a chance for N.R.A. to exercise control of industry for the general welfare as long as the disciples of rugged individualism, as they like to call it, were prepared to fight it. As soon as powerful financial and industrial groups began to reveal willingness to co-operate—in short, to exploit N.R.A. for their own ends—the little man began to be squeezed out.

GEN. JOHNSON'S REPLY

It is futile for General Johnson to rage about the Board's qualifications, to accuse it of being incapable of fulfilling its functions merely because it has produced an unfavourable report. That does not help the General's case a bit. The National Recovery Review Board was established by President Roosevelt as an official body to study the workings of N.R.A. with special reference to its effect upon small enterprises. It is presumed that Mr. Darrow and his colleagues were chosen as the men most likely to provide the President with an impartial report. General Johnson's complaint, in the circumstances, suggests one of two things, either that he is interpreting the New Deal in a manner differing from that of the President, or that the people of the United States have been misled regarding the objective of the New Deal.

THE LITTLE FELLOW

The main feature of the Darrow Report is its demand for fair play for the smaller enterprises. It is interesting, in this connection, to recall General Johnson's statement of May 12, when he declared the virtual abandonment of the "little fellows" under the N.R.A., adding that he was not inclined to "fool with them any longer."

ROOSEVELT POLICY

It is impossible to believe that Mr. Roosevelt will accept the Johnson interpretation of the Report and reject it as valueless. In March last, analysing the N.R.A., he declared: "The Code authorities are the keepers of their industrial-brothers-and they must establish every safeguard against the small operator from the scene. The code should reverse competitive methods whereby the little fellow is being squeezed out." This is precisely what the Darrow Report charges, N.R.A. has failed to do. The big corporations have used the codes to put the small enterprises at greater disadvantage. Their very size has always given them a considerable leeway over the small man, through the method of monopolistic purchases and so on. Code regulations have made things more difficult for the little fellow without any compensating advantages.

CODE "HONESTY"

If allegiance to the Code had been honestly accepted by the big corporations, in spirit as well as in letter, the indictment of Mr. Darrow and his colleagues would have had less force. But it is well known that in many of the great industries, nominal increases in wages have been accompanied by demotions in the status of workers, placing them in a worse position than before. Machinists who were receiving 65 cents an hour have been reduced to the official rank of labourers, paid 45 cents an hour, which included the code wage increase, and given exactly the same work to do.

SOMETHING TO BE SAVED

It would not be fair to deduce that N.R.A. has failed completely and utterly. Distorted and perverted by profiteers, it still contains within its structure much that can be used to economic advantage. But pitfalls that should have been obvious have not been avoided; N.R.A. has fallen into nearly every possible error open to it, notably in permitting the Big Business interests to form their own boards of control. It is possible, as suggested, that Mr. Darrow may be sent from Washington "in disgrace," but there are facts behind his report that cannot be disregarded. He will be vindicated ultimately, either by the initiation of reforms, or by the collapse of the code structure.

REACH-ME-DOWN HOUSES

By R. J. CRUIKSHANK

THE mass production of cheap houses is one of the most interesting experiments sponsored by Mr. Roosevelt's Administration. The Government proposes to give financial backing to firms who are willing to build homes for the people in the same swift, whole-sale, standardised way that Mr. Ford turns out cars. They will extend credits, and share the ultimate risk.

Dilapidated frame structures and slum shanties will be replaced by trim little homes as like one another as match-boxes. A poet and an artist might shudder at this prospect. Described in the barest terms, it has something of the nightmare horror of one of those geometrical Utopias that minor imitators of Wells and Bellamy used to invent. To the alarmed imagination, those "mass production" houses may seem to lengthen in dreary vistas of prison cells.

The reality will probably not be as dreadful as that. In the first place, there is an immense need throughout the United States for the rehabilitation of house property. The traveller through this country carries away with him an impression of myriads of frame houses, brown, blue, green and white, stretching into infinity. Since the depression, there has been a lag both in new building and repairs.

Lacking the solidity of the brick villas of England, the frame houses of America have quickly shown the effects of neglect and poverty. Many of them are peeling, mottled, weather-battered. For the observer it is a question of whether one prefers picturesque shabbiness or standardised neatness. To the tenant the problem is not so much one of aesthetics as of comfort and well-being.

Then, again, attempts will be made to prevent the mass production houses from looking alike. There will be a standardisation of basic parts, such as floors, windows, plumbing, but relief will be provided by variety in colouring and architectural styles. It is estimated that the cost of a five-room ready-made house will be from three thousand to five thousand dollars (from six hundred to one thousand pounds). By American standards, this is remarkably cheap.

EASY TO BUILD.

It is suggested that house-holders will be able to "trade in" their old homes as part payment for new ones just as they exchange automobiles. One big manufacturers' association is preparing large-scale fabrication of wood houses of a one-storey type. The various sections can be made and fitted together in fourteen days. One virtue urged on their behalf is that they can be quickly taken apart, like dolls' houses, and erected elsewhere.

The objections that would be raised against these "reach-me-down" houses in England are not forthcoming on this side of the Atlantic. One can readily imagine Dean Inge denouncing this new "bungaloid eruption," but it must be remembered that while America has a number of pretty villages and much lovely scenery, it long ago philosophically accepted the weirdest architectural improvisations and extravaganzas as part of the price exacted for the rapid development of new towns and cities.



"Darling, these are my parents. You're going to love them."

The Very Idea!

ABOUT THE TOWN

By George

LETTER FROM
CORRESPONDENT.

"Sir,—Being myself a constant reader of your valuable paper (Note—We are proof against flattery of this nature now, as statistics show that everybody who is anybody reads the Telegraph.) I do not doubt in the least that you will decline me a little space (Note—Why this request should have been refused we are enquiring) in order to appeal to anyone in the Colony, especially the official staffs of the theatres to take notice of my article and see that nothing of this kind will ever happen again. (Note—the italics are ours).

WIVES WITH A VENGEANCE.

"Willingly they would lend their wives to each other but when the white men entered their paradise—the Eskimo heart cried out for vengeance—a vengeance that neither chains nor terrors of the icy wilderness could prevent"—citation of emotional publicist advertising "Eskimo."

We wonder if the idea intended to be conveyed is:—(a) that Eskimo-land is a paradise; (b) that borrowed wives make a paradise; (c) that it is paradise to be able to lend your wife; (d) that lending your wife is one way of getting your vengeance—"a vengeance that neither chains nor terrors of the icy wilderness" could surpass.

BY WATER BUG.

During the weekend the summer invasion of our precincts by the "fat at forty" and his wife, began in earnest. During the last one or two weeks a few of them came down to the sea in slips and rain-coats but the weather helped us considerably in keeping the water pretty clear.

But Saturday was a day of terror. One feels sure that if the male species knew just what he looked like swimming—imitating a frustrated starfish suffering from acute indigestion—he would confine his activities to the land.

The only break in the day was when I discovered an old lady with a hole in her costume. When I made this known to her she was so embarrassed that she crawled all the way up the beach on her back.

BY A DIARIST.

During the holidays I debated with two or three modern thinkers the nature of the Ideal Anglo-Saxon Outrage (non-violent)—that is, the outrage which, without involving physical pain or loss of life, would stir the Colony most swiftly to shame and noble anger.

We came to the conclusion (it being then very late and the Great Bear swinging and burning low over a tumbling sea) that the Ideal Anglo-Saxon Outrage is this:

"During the most solemn moment of a Test match, a bishop sitting in the Members' Enclosure at Lord's makes a deliberately frivolous reference to one of the jokes in the National Comic Weekly."

We also decided the Ideal Anglo-Saxon Death, which is to be struck on the head by a baronet with a bat signed by Hobbs.

CRISIS IN BOOKSY LAND.

The slightly hysterical book-critic who wrote, or screamed, the other day—

"Everyone will hail the arrival of a new and far bigger Ethel Mannin"

—is doubtless by now feeling as hot and embarrassed as the rest of us. Mrs. Effort, general organiser of Kindness Week (1934), said yesterday:

"Miss Mannin will have the sympathy of everyone who prefers her as she is now, petite and scornful of men. To want her bigger is absurd. We have plenty of enormous girls in the country already who could not expose the contemptible goings-on of men to save their lives."

"We are asking everybody to be especially charming to Miss Mannin during our forthcoming Kindness Week."

Meanwhile the press have promised to start a fund to save Miss Mannin for the nation.

HOSPITAL PRACTICE

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cause "the proper procedure has not been followed." For many reasons it is felt desirable that whenever possible all accident cases should be sent to the Government Civil Hospital, but before they are sent there, first-aid treatment is given wherever necessary. With the G. C. H. practically next door to the Tung Wah, this should not entail any hardship on accident cases. Those that are too ill to go, are admitted and treated in the Tung Wah—and the main objective of saving life first is never lost sight of.

3. It is so easy to work oneself into hysteria with the thought that an accident case is refused admission into a hospital, but when the refusal merely consists in referring the case to a building or hospital practically next door, and when the latter hospital is more generously equipped and staffed for the purpose, it must be conceded that even from the patient's point of view, in taking this step, it is the better part of wisdom. In Europe and America, it is not unusual to find in each city hospitals specialised in the treatment of fractures and such accident cases, to which cases from all over the city are sent. If the Government Civil Hospital is considered to be such a specialised hospital, there need not be the hullabaloo raised because accident cases are sent there. It would be indeed reprehensible, if cases are sent all over the city regardless of their general condition and without a preliminary first-aid treatment, but with the safeguards mentioned in paragraph 2, no sensible and valid objections can be raised in opposition.

4. It is so easy to preach what a hospital should do under the circumstance, and to make the suggestion to the effect that one should ignore the police and "red tape", but it is not facing realities and it is impracticable, and, in view of the foregoing, unnecessary.

5. It is commendable of the writer of your column to be vigilant on such a matter of public interest, but it would be still more commendable if he had "tempered vigilance with justice"—(as Shakespeare might have said)—and refrained from making adverse comments until he had studied the two sides to every question.

May I request you to publish this and to thank you for the courtesy of the same?

S. W. PHOON M.S., M.B.
Medical Superintendent,
Tung Wah Hospital

The Kennels, Kowloon

Sir—"They hunt our steps, that we cannot go into our streets; our end is near, our days are fulfilled; for our end to come."

"Our persecutors are swifter than the eagles of the heaven: they pursued us upon the mountains, they laid wait for us in the wilderness."—Lamentations III, 18-19.

A TWO-AND-HALF-MONTHS-OLD PUP.

HONEST BOY'S MOTHER NOT PENALISED

RELIEF TO CONTINUE

Mrs. Reddington, of Limerick, Herpury, Manchester, whose 14-year-old son was rewarded with £5 and a job for having returned a parcel containing about £100 which he had found, is not to lose her relief.

She appeared before a Public Assistance sub-committee and it was afterwards explained that on April 10 she drew relief without declaring that her circumstances had changed—the boy having given her the £5.

She told the sub-committee that she spent most of £5 on clothing for her family, the payment of outstanding grocery bills, and in redeeming household articles that had been pledged.

"As she is now without income," it was announced after the meeting, "her relief will continue as usual."

SIR JOHN KELLY'S APPOINTMENT

PRINCIPAL NAVAL A.D.C. TO KING

London, May 21. Admiral Sir John Kelly, the brother of Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, former C-in-C. China Station, has been appointed First and Principal Naval A.D.C. to His Majesty the King, in succession to Admiral Sir Reginald Tyrwhitt. The appointment takes effect from July 31. Admiral Sir John Kelly is commander-in-chief of the Home Fleet at present.—*Reuter*.

FESTIVITIES FOR DUKE OF GLOUCESTER

Melbourne and Sydney Vie With One Another

Melbourne and Sydney are arranging a series of brilliant functions for the entertainment of the Duke of Gloucester when he arrives in October, this year, to attend the Centenary Celebrations of Victoria.

A royal ball will be given by the Lord Mayor of Melbourne during the height of the festivities of Melbourne Cup week for which three thousand invitations will be issued, says *Austral News*.

Besides the Royal Ball, His Royal Highness will probably attend a dinner to the new Lord Mayor at Government House. Other official entertainments at which the Duke will be present will be a ball, a dinner and possibly a garden party given by the new Governor of Victoria (Lord Huntingfield), a State dinner and a big public ball given by the State Government. The Mayor has decided, however, to limit official functions so that the public will have every possible opportunity of seeing the Duke of Gloucester.

Sydney is arranging a festival fortnight to coincide with the Melbourne Centenary and is preparing a pageant to follow the Prince's progress to the Show-ground on the day of his arrival in that city. The pageant will include some characteristic Australian features in which kangaroos, emus and aborigines from the far outback will figure. Forty bands including public bands will herald H.R.H.'s arrival in Sydney.

He will see two classic races in Melbourne, namely, that for the Melbourne Cup which is second in importance only to the English Derby and the Caulfield Cup.

WORLD'S RAREST RATS

AUSTRALIAN DISCOVERY

Two Australian scientists, Mr. H. H. Finlayson of the Adelaide Museum and Mr. C. W. Brazner of the Australian National Museum have just rediscovered the rarest species of all known rats. It is the broad-tailed rat, unknown in any other country than Australia and it has long been considered to be extinct. One specimen, the only one known to science, was taken in 1882, since when it has been regarded by the British Museum scientists as unique, says *Austral News*.

Mr. Finlayson has found five specimens of the rat in the same district. The rarity of the animal is explained in the relation which the rats of the old world bear to the Australian indigenous rats in development and ability to look after themselves. The resemblance is something the same as that of the 20th century Englishman to the Australian aborigine.

The Australian rats are not marsupial except in one instance and have been killed or driven away from every place to which the common introduced rats have penetrated.

Incidentally, Mr. Brazner has also found in the Otway Ranges of Victoria an indigenous mouse which is not known to science. A scientific description of it is being prepared.

"MASS" PRODUCTION OF HEAVY WATER

5 THIMBLEFULS A DAY

The new heavy or "poisonous" water has passed from the stage of scientific discovery into commercial manufacture.

Plant has been installed at the Billingham works of Imperial Chemical Industries which will provide a continuous supply of 30 per cent. heavy water at the rate of some five thimblefuls a day. For heavy water this is mass production.

This may be taken as the response of industry to an appeal made by Lord Rutherford that scientists should be relieved of the necessity of laboriously extracting one part of heavy water from six thousand parts of ordinary water before commencing their experiments.

Heavy consumption of electric power is required in the production of heavy water and, as Lord Rutherford has pointed out, electric power is unfortunately expensive in many University towns.

Scientists throughout the country have only been waiting for larger supplies of heavy water to accumulate before proceeding with experiments designed to test its effect on life. It has been shown, for example, in America, that tobacco seeds will not germinate in nearly pure heavy water.

ENGLAND BY A FRENCHMAN

COMING HISTORY BY ANDRE MAUROIS

M. Andre Maurois, the French novelist who created Colonel Bramble, the biographer of Shelley, Disraeli, Byron, and Voltaire, and the "Ambassador to the Court of Friendship between England and France," as he has been called, is writing a "History of England" from the point of view of a Frenchman.

In an interview, he said: "I do not want it to be thought that I am in any way attempting to compete with existing histories. Mine will be the view of an outsider, and my aim is to 'account for England,' a unique position in the world to-day—to show why England is England."

"France and England had nearly the same beginnings; yet they have followed different paths. It is the comparison which so interests me."

M. Maurois is in England on a brief visit to collect material which may be of use to him.

As liaison officer attached to the British Army during the War, M. Maurois had an exceptional opportunity of studying the English character.

"This race of Englishmen, which I grew to know so well in the trenches—and under canvas," he said, "is, in my opinion, the best humanity can produce."

"It is their fairness, their kindness, their sense of responsibility without too much selfishness, and their humorous attitude of optimism about the future, which pulled their country through the recent crisis."

SUMMER HINT

HOW TO KEEP COOL IN COMFORT

It is really remarkable how easily some women keep cool in the hottest weather. And the marvellous thing is that they do not achieve this accomplishment by sitting on an ice box behind drawn blinds but merely by using those little devices which are hardly noticed by the not initiated.

There is for instance the knack of dipping your hands up to the wrists in cold water to which a dash of "4711" Eau de Cologne is added. A simple method, and yet the whole body will instantly respond to its refreshing action. By the way, do you know that a cold shower-bath in the morning is one of the best ways to keep fresh and dainty if your body and your nerves can stand a daily douche?

Then, during the day, a dab of Eau de Cologne now and again behind the ears or on the nape of the neck will work wonders to preserve vim and energy, while some talcum powder applied at the right time is a real boon for a perspiring skin.

As for powder, it is a well-known fact that a good face powder makes one look cool as well, and that's almost the better part of personal coolness! One word of advice, though. Never omit to include a small bottle of Eau de Cologne in your handbag, or if you prefer, there are those practical "Frodocone" sticks, consisting of solid "4711." Just rub on throbbing temples or forehead—and you'll feel as fresh as ever.

FLYING DOCTORS

NATIONAL SCHEME IN AUSTRALIA

By establishing six wireless stations and appointing "flying doctors," a scheme to provide an efficient medical service for settlers in remote parts of Australia has just been launched with the formation in Melbourne of the Aerial Medical Services of Australia (Victorian Section).

The service has been arranged by the Rev. John Flynn ("Flynn of the Inland") at whose instigation the Presbyterian Inland Mission inaugurated the first "flying doctor" service at Cloncurry, six years ago.

Operating from the six bases by aeroplane over an average radius of 400 miles, the huge territory could be effectively covered by doctors working in conjunction with resident practitioners, says *Austral News*, until improved aeroplanes become standard equipment for all country doctors in sparsely settled areas.

Mr. Flynn has found that the wireless station has become the flying doctor's consulting room. It has been demonstrated in Queensland that wireless consultation at the first sign of illness might render a personal visit by the doctor unnecessary, or in cases of emergency, the wireless could summon a doctor in time to save life.

PRESS ADVERTISING CHEAPEST

STRIKING TRIBUTE

A great tribute to Press advertising was paid by Mr. Richard Haigh, English Manager of "His Master's Voice" at a private show of new radio instruments in London.

"Last January," said Mr. Haigh, "we entered upon a bold experiment to keep our factories running at full pressure in the quietest season of the year, and decided to back up our new programme with the largest concentrated Press advertising campaign in the history of our company."

"The success of our campaign has astounded even ourselves, the percentage increase in orders for instruments, this year over the same period of last year being seven times as great."

"The factory production instead of slowing down, has had to be increased. Night work has been instituted where possible, and storage space in one of the largest factory buildings has been appropriated and turned into another radio assembly floor. We are working at the highest pressure, but we are still in the case of some models struggling to catch up with the orders we have received."

"There is absolutely no doubt in our minds that provided one has a good product at the right price, Press advertising is the cheapest way in which to sell it."

RACE MEETING UPSETS

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213, 26, 285, 175, 281, 142, 14, 150, 18.

Race 2.
No. 93 \$561.40
" 114 160.40
" 101 80.20
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 277.

Race 3.
No. 106 \$302
" 111 112
" 157 56
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 209, 60, 150, 252, 223, 145, 103, 107, 13, 101, 108, 261.

Race 4.
No. 247 \$555.80
" 150 158.80
" 78 70.40
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 261, 102, 278, 65, 257.

Race 5.
No. 216 \$708.40
" 123 202.40
" 84 101.20
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 149, 14.

Race 6.
No. 201 \$581
" 94 160
" 92 83
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 64, 258, 88, 35, 101, 22, 171, 73, 359.

Race 7.
No. 293 \$610.40
" 85 174.40
" 105 87.20
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 294, 29, 241, 30, 116, 185.

Race 8.
No. 54 \$1,072.40
" 117 306.40
" 187 153.20
Unplaced ponies (\$100 each): Nos. 281, 273, 95, 297, 284.

Race 9.
No. 258 \$574
" 92 104
" 261 82
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 209, 232, 155, 168, 349, 269, 244, 182, 192, 33, 38, 25.

Race 10.
No. 250 \$847
" 77 242
" 269 121
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 133, 95, 302.

Race 11.
No. 48 \$910
" 210 260
" 274 130
Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 105, 38, 345, 400, 228, 407, 350, 127.

INDIA CLEMENCY.

TWO TERRORISTS ESCAPE DEATH

Lahore, May 21.

The High Court to-day altered the sentence of death upon two brothers charged with terrorist activities and condemned last December. One of the two men was acquitted and the other sentenced to transportation.

Terms of imprisonment were reduced in the cases of eleven other accused.—*Reuter*.

The accused were some of the 21 conspirators charged with attempting to blow up the Viceroy's train five years ago.

BIRTH.

GILLESPIE.—At the Victoria Hospital, on 21st May, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Gillespie, a daughter.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

CONCERT FROM THE STUDIO

TO-NIGHT

From ZBW, on a wavelength of 355 metres:

7.30-7.50 p.m. Chinese programme.

7.50-8.00 p.m. From the Studio.

An Address on behalf of the "British Empire Cancer Campaign" by Doctor Arthur Woo. (In Chinese).

7.50-8.00 p.m. European programme.

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.33-7.40 p.m. The B.B.C. Wireless Singers.

(a) Where the Bee Sucks (arr. Shaw).

(b) Come Let us Join the Roundelay (Wm. Beale).

(c) It was a Lover and His Lass. 7.40-8 p.m. From the Studio.

An Address on behalf of the "British Empire Cancer Campaign" by Doctor J. H. Montgomery.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.47 p.m. Orchestral. Poem Les Preludes—Symphonic Poem (Liszt).

London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.

Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 1 (Elgar).

Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 2 (Elgar).

London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.

Bolero (Ravel).

Willam Mengelberg and His Concertgebouw Orchestra.

8.47-9 p.m. Octets.

Love's Dream After the Ball (arr. Willoughby).

Echoes of the Ball (Willoughby).

Andante in G (Bartok).

Andantino (Song of the Soul) (Lemare).

The J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.

9.10-10 p.m.

Concert from the Studio.

Mrs. Helen Lockhart (Contralto).

Mr. W. H. Bailey (Baritone).

Mr. H. G. Anniss (Tenor).

Accompanied—Mr. Frederick Mason, A.C.O., L.T.C.

Luba Shafstain—Pianoforte.

Professor N. A. Tonoff—Violin.

Dick Barty—Humorous Programme.

1 Songs—

(a) Hensling (del Riego)

(b) Hushen (Needham)

Mrs. Helen Lockhart.

2 Songs—

(a) The Ballad Monger (Easthope-Martin)

(b) Doloresa (Montague Phillips)

Mr. H. G. Anniss.

3 Violin Solos—

(a) Romanica (Wieniawsky)

(b) Poem (Fibich)

Professor N. A. Tonoff accompanied by Luba Shafstain.

4 Songs—

(a) When Lights Go Rolling (John Ireland)

(b) Sea Fever (Coningsby Clark)

Mr. W. H. Bailey.

5 Pianoforte Solos—Selected

Luba Shafstain.

6 Humorous Numbers—Selected

Dick Barty.

7 Songs—

(a) A Summer Night (Goring Thomas)

(b) Ships That Pass in the Night (Stephenson)

Mrs. Helen Lockhart.

8 Songs—

(a) Pluck This Little Flower (London Ronald)

(b) Ailsa Mine (Ernest Newton)

Mr. H. G. Anniss.

9 Violin Solo—Taranella (Galka)

Professor N. A. Tonoff accompanied by Luba Shafstain.

10 Songs—

(a) Honour and Arms (from "Samson") (Handel)

(b) The Arrow and the Song (Balfe)

Mr. W. H. Bailey.

11 Vocal Duets—

(a) Down in the Forest (London Ronald)

(b) O Lovely Night (London Ronald)

Mrs. Helen Lockhart and Mr. W. H. Bailey.

12 Pianoforte Solos—Selected

Luba Shafstain.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

BACK TO CHINA.

TREBITSCH LINCOLN ON HIS WAY

Montreal, May 21.

Trebitsch Lincoln, the Buddhist monk, who attempted to carry on a missionary tour of England but who was deported back to Canada, has left here, en route for China.

The traveller, accompanied by a number of disciples, boarded the train for Vancouver to-day, soon after his ship arrived from England.—*Reuter*.

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OXFORD'S DEBACLE

AUSSIES WIN BY INNINGS

EBELING TAKES 4 FOR 34

DE SARAM HITS A CENTURY

London, May 21. Yet another member of the Australian cricket attack came into prominence to-day. When playing against Oxford University, whom the Australians defeated by an innings and 33 runs in two days, H. I. Ebeling, the young Victorian trundler, took four wickets for 34 runs. The Australians completely outplayed the Varsity, who made such a poor showing in their initial visit to the ground that Ebeling and Fleetwood-Smith sent them back for 70.

Fleetwood-Smith, who has already proven his value on English wickets, returned the imposing figures of 5 for 30.

DESARAM'S CENTURY. Following on, the Oxonians did a little better, but not sufficient to pass the Australians' 317, and the last wicket fell at 216.

F. C. de Sarum, former All Ceylon player, proved that the attack could be hit if it was met in the right way, and his innings of 128 was exceptionally fine under the circumstances.

Charlie Grimmett was the thorn in the side of the University in this second innings, although his success was not gained cheaply, seven victims costing 100 runs.—*Reuter*.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF CRICKETER

MAURICE NICHOL

London, May 21. Maurice Nichol, the Worcester cricketer, 29 years of age, was found dead in his bed at the hotel where he was staying. The cause of death is not yet known.

Nichol, a popular member of the eleven, played against Essex in the match of Saturday last. Yesterday he was going and apparently in the best of health.—*Reuter*.



H. I. EBELING.

UNIVERSITY COURSE IN ATHLETICS

British A.A.A. Plans With Summer School

London. A University course in athletics. That is what the Amateur Athletic Association has arranged in conjunction with Loughborough College Summer School this year. This will be the first Summer Course in Athletics ever held in this country and it will open on August 18 and continue until September 1.

The Course in Athletics will be in charge of Captain F. A. M. Webster and he will have as tutors such famous athletes as H. M. Abrahams, C. P. Best, J. Dalrymple T. Hampson, R. L. Howland, E. A. Montague, M. C. Nokes, B. G. D. Rudd and A. S. Turk.

The fee will be £6.0.0. for the whole fortnight or £3.10.0 for either the first or second week. These fees will include board and accommodation and all social and recreational facilities, such as swimming, lawn tennis, dancing and the use of the College gymnasium.

Four special courses have been arranged, namely: Cross-country running, lecturer, Mr. E. J. Holt. Dietetics of Athletics, lecturer, Mr. Adolphe Abrahams. Judging Field Events, lecturer, Mr. Denis Lyons. Team Management, lecturer, Mr. A. S. Turk.

TO-DAY'S LEAGUE TENNIS

AN ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME

I.R.C. MAY BE EXTENDED BY U.S.R.C.

(By "Veritas").

Although it is a little too early to claim that the teams have sorted themselves out, last Tuesday's results lend a valuable guide to prospects for this afternoon's "A" Division league tennis programme.

There are two or three very interesting engagements. The United Services, who a week ago put up such a fine showing against the Hongkong Cricket Club, visit Sookanpoo to oppose the new formations of the Indian Recreation Club.

The I.R.C. have every reason to be satisfied with their experiment, and there is little doubt that the Rumjahn cousins will split up again to nurse Cassumbhoy and Hazack. Nevertheless, the Indians may not have things entirely their own way. Last Tuesday indicated that it required a really strong pair to overcome any of the U.S.R.C. combinations, and everything points to the whole of the responsibility of winning falling on the shoulders of the Rumjahns and their partners.

IS ALL WELL AT THE H.K.C.C.?

Another tie which will excite interest is that between the Kowloon Cricket Club and Hongkong Cricket Club.

Incidentally I have heard sounds of dissension within the latter's house. Not among the team, but caused by resentment of the Club's policy not to play home league matches during mid-week. I trust everything will soon be smoothed out.

The K.C.C. are making no changes from last week's team, and unless stronger support can be given the Duff-Goldman combination, the Kowloon team should just about win, although I cannot conceive a very wide margin separating the teams at the close.

Craigengower enter the arena, unhappily for them against the C.R.C. first string. But it is a home game, and strengthened by the inclusion of A.V. Gosano (although robbed of the services of Tam Yoc-fong), the three "C's" may make their presence felt.

The C.R.C. second team entertain the Recels, and this should be an excellent game, with the result probably depending on the odd set. The third string are due to visit South China, but whether the latter's courts are yet ready I have not heard. Presumably, however, the match is on.

The full programme, with home teams given first, follows:

"A" DIVISION.

C.C.C.	v	C.R.C.	"A"
C.R.C.	"B"	v	Recels
S. China	v	C.R.C.	"C"
I.R.C.	v	U.S.R.C.	
K.C.C.	v	H.K.C.C.	

KOWLOON GOLF CLUB

Qualifying Round For Summer Cup

The last competition of the Kowloon Golf Club season attracted an entry of 28 players for the qualifying round of the Summer Cup on Sunday.

W. M. Groves returned a good card of 77-11=88 to head the qualifiers while A. L. Eastman's 73 was the best scratch score of the day.

The following qualified:
W. M. Groves 77-11=88.
A. L. Eastman 73-6=79.
L. Collins 73-6=79.
L. D. Purves 83-12=95.
D. C. Wilson 77-6=83.
A. T. Bralley 78-6=84.
D. Parsons 80-18=98.
A. J. Dennis 83-10=93.
F. E. Booker 80-10=90.
G. Milne 82-12=94.
J. J. King 90-16=106.
G. P. Murphy 87-11=98.
S. MacNider 88-12=100.
R. Henderson 91-15=106.
S. Jex 88-11=99.
W. Stoker 94-16=110.



An interesting picture taken when Perry and Boussus met in the International tennis match in Paris last year, showing the players crossing over between the games. On that occasion Perry won easily yesterday, on the same court, he was well beaten by the Frenchman.

FRED PERRY BEATEN BY BOUSSUS

Listless Display Against Bright Opponent

Paris, May 21.

Spectators at the Stade Roland Garros to-day were electrified to see France's No. 1 singles Davis Cup player, Christian Boussus defeat Fred J. Perry, leading English exponent, in the course of the annual international tennis contest between France and England. Boussus won 6-4, 2-6, 7-5.

Maintaining fine control over the ball, Boussus was clearly the better player on the day's showing. He was up against a rather listless Perry, whose shots lacked sting, and who was prone to double faulting, states *Reuter*.

Frenchmen were jubilant at the result, following as it did upon the successes of Boussus in the Davis Cup match against Austria during the week-end. Boussus has undoubtedly improved tremendously during the past twelve months, and promises to be a worthy successor to Cochet, the French Davis Cup idol.

When, in the same event, Boussus and Perry met in Paris last year, the Englishman won very comfortably in straight sets at 6-3, 6-3.

Results during the last year, however, have indicated that Perry is not a three-set player. In the quite recent Test matches in Australia, he suffered a number of reverses in three set games, whereas in five-set contests, he carried all before him.

HARVEY AND PETERSEN

FIGHT IN JUNE FOR £12,000 PURSE

On the Monday of Derby week, June 4, Len Harvey and Jack Petersen will have their return meeting at the White City. Jeff Dickson is the promoter, and contracts were signed recently.

Two heavy-weight titles will be at stake, that of Great Britain which Harvey won from Petersen last November, and the British Empire Championship, which he took from Larry Gains 11 weeks ago.

The British Boxing Board of Control in giving official recognition to the bout as a championship contest imposes the condition that the winner agrees to meet the winner of the bout between George Cook, the Australian, and Don McCorkindale, of South Africa.

Of the Purse of £12,000 Harvey, as champion, will receive £7,000 and Petersen, as ex-champion, the remainder.

Petersen's eye, injured in his last contest, has mended and he will start training at once at Cardiff.

TSUI WAI PUI IN SINGLES

RUMJAHN COUSINS DOUBLES

THURSDAY'S BIG ATTRACTION

Hongkong best tennis talent has promised to turn out against the Japanese Olympic players at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Thursday afternoon.

Tsui Wai-pui, local champion, who will play singles. S.D. and H.D. Rumjahn, doubles champions, who will figure in a doubles, probably against Hyotaro Satoh and Amagishi. L. Goldman and E. C. Fincher, who will also play in a doubles.

Subject to the approval of the Japanese team, the tennis programme will consist of two doubles and one singles, each of two sets. Tsui Wai-pui will probably meet Satoh in the singles.

Prominent local athletes will also participate in the track and field events which precede the tennis. It is hoped that the Army will be well represented, as well as the University and other clubs whose membership includes outstanding athletes.

Weather permitting, the event on Thursday should provide one of the biggest sporting attractions Hongkong has enjoyed for a long time.

Admission to the K.C.C. will be one dollar including tax, entrance to the ground being next to the Children's Playground in Cox's Road.

L.B.W. EXPERIMENT

GIVEN TRIAL IN ENGLAND

An interesting experiment with regard to a possible change at some future date in the l.b.w. rule was conducted at Lord's in the M.C.C. v. Surrey and Yorkshire matches which began on May 2 and May 5 respectively.

The umpires were told that the batsman may be given out l.b.w.

"If a ball pitches outside the off stump and breaks in hitting the batsman on the pads and would in the umpire's opinion have hit the stumps but for the intervention of the batsman's legs which are in a line between the wickets and wickets."

I cannot describe the experiment as a novelty, because V. W. C. Jupp, of Northants, told me at Scarborough last year that he had played a three days match on the county ground with this rule in force and the whole game was completed in a day and a half, writes A. E. B. Gilligan.

It will, however, be something new at Lord's, and the M.C.C. Committee is to be warmly congratulated on trying out an experiment which may have a far-reaching result and may perhaps cause a revolution in the laws of the game.

The public is sick of the two-eyed stance, the covering up of the



SEAMAN ROWLES.

ROWLES AND EWIN

WIN FIGHTS FOR PORTS IN FLEET TOURNEY

KEEN INTER-PORT BOXING

London, April 26. The Home Fleet retained possession of the Inter-Port Cup in the open Royal Navy and Royal Marines boxing championships at Portsmouth last night with 16pts. against 10 to Chatham, 6 to Portsmouth, and 4 to Devonport.



A. B. EWIN.

A. B. Rowles (Home Fleet), who won the heavy-weight title last year, was this year fighting in the light heavy-weight class, and he won that title by means of knock-outs in both semi-final and final rounds.

Results of other finals: Fly-weight.—A/B Ferris (Home Fleet) v.o. Bantam.—E/A Burke (Portsmouth) beat O/S Morris (Chatham). Feather.—O/S Prandy (Chatham) beat A/B Kentwell (Home Fleet).

Light.—Stoker Jacobs (Home Fleet) beat Shipwright Rubbery (Home Fleet). Welter.—A/B Ewin (Chatham) knocked out A/B Bred (Home Fleet) in the first round. Middle.—A/B Wakelin (Home Fleet) beat A/B Storrie (Chatham).

Heavy.—Tel. Puddlephat (Devonport) beat Stoker Mirrell (Chatham).

whole wicket with the pads, and the monotony of a batsman putting the ball harmlessly to the fielders within close reach of the stumps.

Philippines Ought To Apologise To China

CURT COMMENT BY MANILA PAPER ON OLYMPICS DISRUPTION

The Far Eastern Olympics of 1934 has ended in disruption. The dissolving of the original Far Eastern Athletic Association, and the formation by Japan and the Philippines of a so-called Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient, has been followed by China's intimation to refuse to participate under such a body.

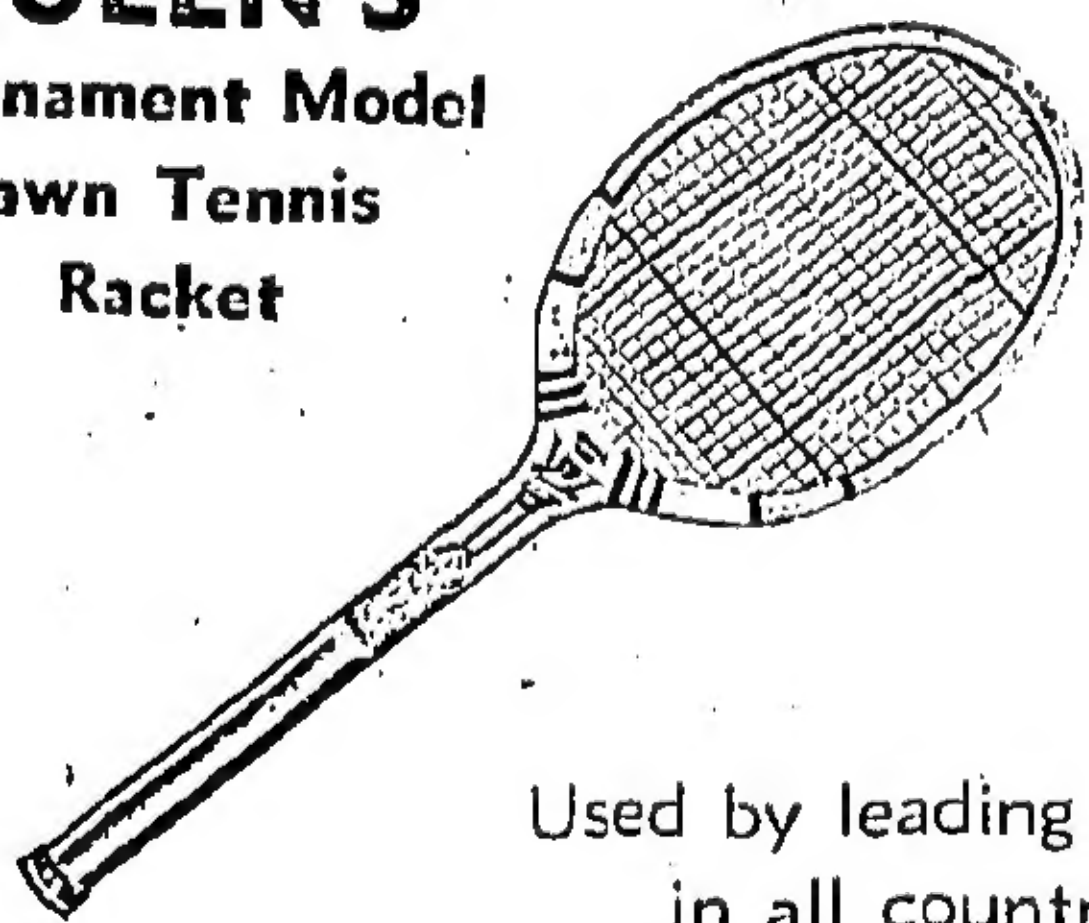
The Chinese delegation in Manila, in a note to Nanking allege that political influence was brought to bear by Japan regarding the formation of a new Association, with the object of securing Manchukuo's admission.

The Manila Bulletin, in a curtly worded editorial, condemns the Philippines representatives for allowing themselves to be a party to "such a shabby procedure" as bowing China out of the picture, and suggests that the least the Philippines can do is to tender a profound apology to China.

See Page 1 for full story.

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END OF THE FAR EASTERN ATHLETIC ASSN:

UNHAPPY FINISH TO OLYMPICS

JAPAN AND PHILIPPINES FORM A NEW ASSOCIATION

CHINA INTIMATES REFUSAL TO PARTICIPATE

The Far Eastern Athletic Association has dissolved following the dissension caused between China and Japan and the Philippines over the interpretation of constitutional articles of the Association, and yesterday the Philippines and Japan agreed to organise a new body to be known as the Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient.

The incidents have caused much heartburning, but the officials of the new body have been appointed. Meanwhile China has intimated that she cannot participate in Games under the auspices of such an Association.

Even the Olympic Games were washed out yesterday, the tennis being left undecided owing to rain.

Manila, May 21. When the Congress resumed this morning the Japanese and Filipino delegates dissolved the Far Eastern Athletic Association and set about organising an Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient with a constitution identical to that of the Far Eastern Athletic Association with the exception of Article 3 which requires two-thirds of the members to vote for the admission of new members instead of a unanimous vote.

It was agreed to invite all oriental countries, including Manchukuo and China to participate. Acting upon the Manchukuo Amateur Athletic Association's application to the Far Eastern Athletic Association, the Philippines and Japan voted to automatically accept and grant membership in the Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient if an application is formally addressed to the New Association.

The following officers were appointed: Hon. President:—The Hon. Mr. Manuel Quezon, President of the Senate of the Philippines Islands; President, Dr. Ryoze Hirayama, a member of the Japanese House of Peers and Director of the Japanese Delegation to the Tenth Olympiad at

Manila; Vice-President, Dr. Jorge Vargas, President of the Philippines Amateur Athletic Federation; Hon. Secretary, Dr. Takashi Goh, of the Secretariat of the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association; Committee on Constitution of organisation, Dr. Regino Yaman, Secretary of the Philippines Amateur Athletic Federation and Dr. Terutaro Abe, Japanese Delegate to the Manila Games, and a member of the Secretariat of the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association.

The meeting then adjourned.—United Press.

CHINA QUILTS

Breaks From Far East Organisation

Manila, May 21. The Far Eastern Athletic Association is to be dissolved after 20 years of organization. At this morning's meeting, which was not participated in by China, the delegates of Japan and the Philippines adopted a resolution that the F.E.A.A. is to be dissolved and an Eastern Seas Amateur Athletic Association organized instead.

TENNIS TITLE

H. Satoh Wins From Aragon

Manila, May 21. Hiyotaro Satoh, the Japanese tennis player, defeated Francisco Aragon of the Philippines by 6-2, 8-6, 6-8, 8-6. As soon as the match was resumed this morning rain fell and there was an inch of water on the court when the match finished. The other postponed matches have not yet started.

TENNIS ABANDONED. Because the Japanese team sailed early this afternoon, the men's tennis was considered unfinished and no trophy was presented. The women's tennis is still uncertain.—United Press.

WOMEN'S TENNIS.

Manila, May 21. Mikasa Ochoa and Chiu beat the Misses Wong, China's representatives, 6-3, 8-1, in a match today. The Philippines and China met again to-morrow to complete the tennis singles matches, and weather permitting, these two matches will conclude the games.—United Press.

It is expected that the new association will include in its membership Philippines, Japan and Manchukuo.

CHINA'S POSITION. A statement has been issued by the Chinese Delegation headed by Dr. C. T. Wang, declaring China's non-recognition of the amendment of Article 3 of the constitution of the F.E.A.A., which was passed at yesterday's meeting by the delegates of the Philippines and Japan. The clause provides that the nation, acting as host for the games, will have the right to invite non-members to participate. The statement commenced by recalling the organization of the Association 21 years ago, when China joined the membership with the hope of promoting friendly relations between nations in the Far East.

New members, it continues, should only be admitted by unanimous consent of the Congress and Japan's contemplation in altering the present rules will probably create ill feeling between the members.

Article 14, provides that amendments may be passed by a two-thirds majority of all the members of the Congress and not, as it is now interpreted by the Japanese delegates, those present at the meeting. Therefore, it concludes, any amendment that is not passed according to the provision stated above, is considered illegal by China, and she has decided to remain outside the new body.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

Upsets At Yesterday's Race Meeting

PUNTERS LET DOWN IN HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

The second day of the fifth extra meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club proved expensive for most punters, surprise results being the order. Nevertheless, excellent sport was witnessed, and a large holiday crowd gathered at Happy Valley for the programme.

The Results.

1.—Hwang Ho Handicap, "C" Class (1 Mile).
Cheung & Wo's High Speed 156 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
Tally Ho's Daylight Evo 145 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 2
Harbrad's Zero 140 lbs. (Mr. Deitz) 3
Won by three quarters length; a length.
Time: 2:02.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$11.60; Places \$5.60; \$5.60; \$9.30.
2.—Bohem Handicap (6 Furlongs).
Dynasty's King's Fanny 161 lbs. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 1
Li Shu-pang's Soldier of Germany 158 lbs. (Mr. Soares) 2
Quarto's Spinaway 151 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 3
Won by a length; three lengths.
Time: 1:28.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$11.80; Places \$5.60; \$5.60.
3.—West River Handicap, "D" Class (1 Mile).
H. Y. Liang's Iron Grey 143 lbs. (Mr. Tang Man-wa) 1
C. B. Brown's Fudge 168 lbs. (Mr. Poy) 2
K. H. W.'s Gay Butterfly 158 lbs. (Mr. Carvalho) 3
Won by a neck; half length.
Time: 2:07.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$60.90; Places \$13.50; \$25.00; \$27.90.
4.—Yangtze Handicap, For China ponies "B" Class. Six furlongs.
L. Dunbar's Oak Bay 154 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 1
Lan's Bright Star 160 lbs. (Mr. Liang) 2
Hen's Gladiator 150 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 3
Won by a head; a neck.
Time: 1:28.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$15.90; Places \$8.50; \$28.20; \$14.
5.—Whitewash Plate. For China ponies. One and a quarter miles.
A. M. L. Soares' Sucko 154 lbs. (Mr. Harrison) 1
Dynasty's Hetman 153 lbs. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 2
Li Shu-pang's Soldier of Britain 150 lbs. (Mr. Deitz) 3
Won by two lengths; three lengths.
Time: 2:29.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$19.10; Places \$9.30; \$25.50.
6.—Polo Pony Scoury (Unofficial). Three furlongs.
J. L. Jordan's Stickypast 168 lbs. (Mr. Jordan) 1
J. L. Jordan's Darcen 168 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 2
J. L. Jordan's Winchester Stag 160 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 3
Won by a head; short head.
Time: 2:11.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$91.90; Places \$22.80; \$16.20; \$8.10.

TURF PROGRAMME

Third Extra Meeting Of Macao Club

The programme for the Third Extra Meeting of the Macao Jockey Club to be held on June 19 in Macao appear below:

1. Ma On Shan Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Subscription Grifflins of this Club of this Season. Top Weight will not exceed 10 lb. over "Weight for Inches as per Scale." Lowest Weight 135 lb. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won 10 races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

2. Chiu Wah Shan Handicap. (Second Section). Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by The Hongkong Jockey Club as "D" and "E" Classes. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for Chiu Wah Shan Handicap. Entries will be divided into First and Second Section at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3. Chiu Wah Shan Handicap. (First Section). Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by The Hongkong Jockey Club as "D" and "E" Classes. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

4. Mo Kan Shan Plate. Winner \$200. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies classified by The Hongkong Jockey Club as "C" Class. Weight 145 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in Stakes since 1st January, 1934. Ponies unplaced this year allowed 5 lb. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

5. June Meeting Handicap. Winner \$200. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Non-winning Grifflins of this Season and "C" Class Ponies that have not won more than \$500 in Stakes since 1st January, 1934. Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

6. Volunteer Handicap. (Unofficial). Winner \$125. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies certified by the O. G. Machine Gun Troop, H.K.V.D.C. as "Regular Troop Ponies." To be ridden by Members of the Troop. Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

7. Ladies' Dash. (Unofficial). Winner \$100. Second \$75. Third \$50. A Handicap for China Ponies. Subscription Grifflins of The Macao Jockey Club of this Season. Top Weight will not exceed 150 lb. Lowest Weight 125 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. Half a Mile.

Entries close at Noon on Thursday, May 31 at the Secretary's Office, Messrs. Bonjardin & Potts, new Stock Exchange Building, Ice House Street.

Cash Sweep Results.

Race 1.
No. 278 \$405.30
" 192 115.80
" 154 57.00
Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. (Continued on Page 7.)

SPORT ADVTS.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Sixth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday, 2nd June, 1934 (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Buildings; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, the 24th May, 1934.

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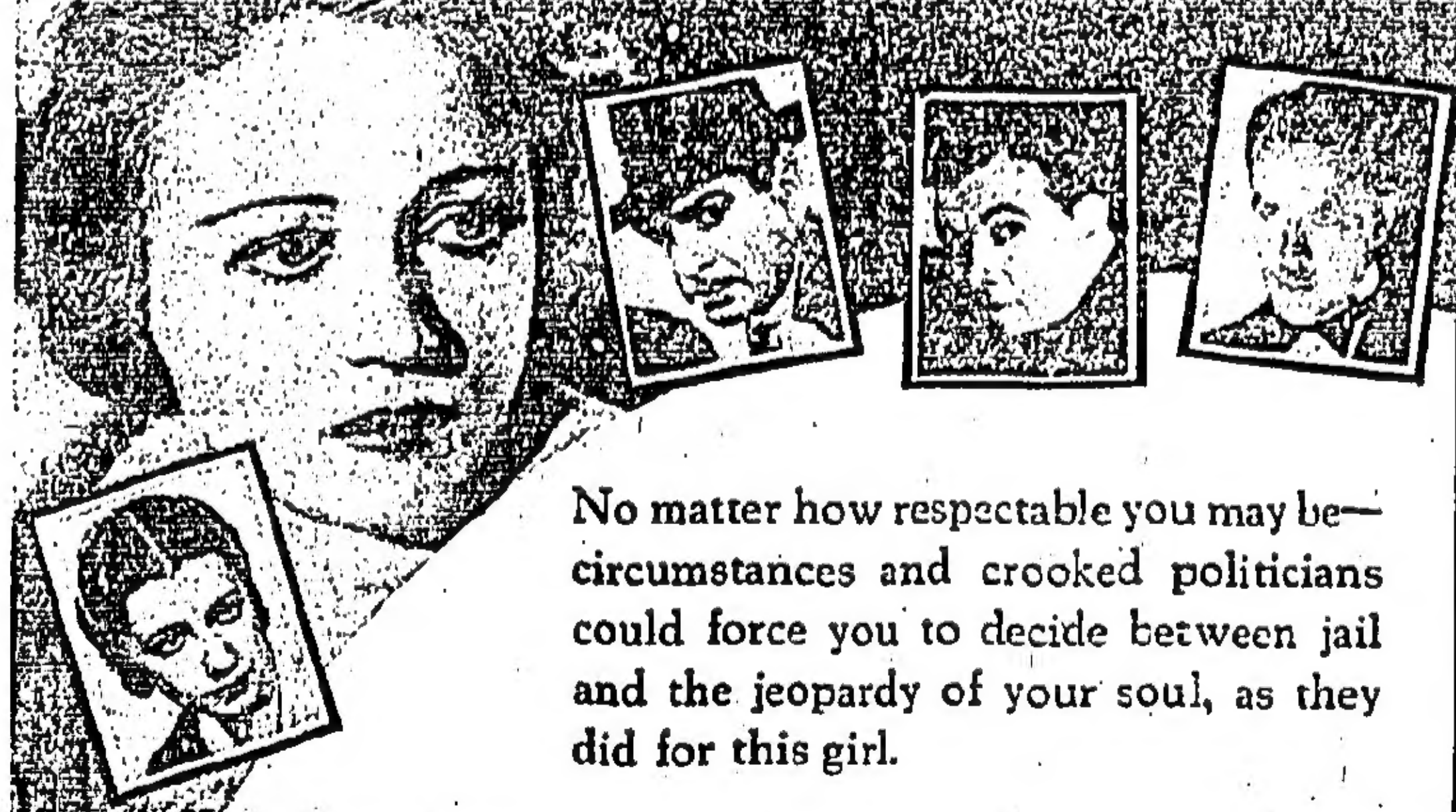
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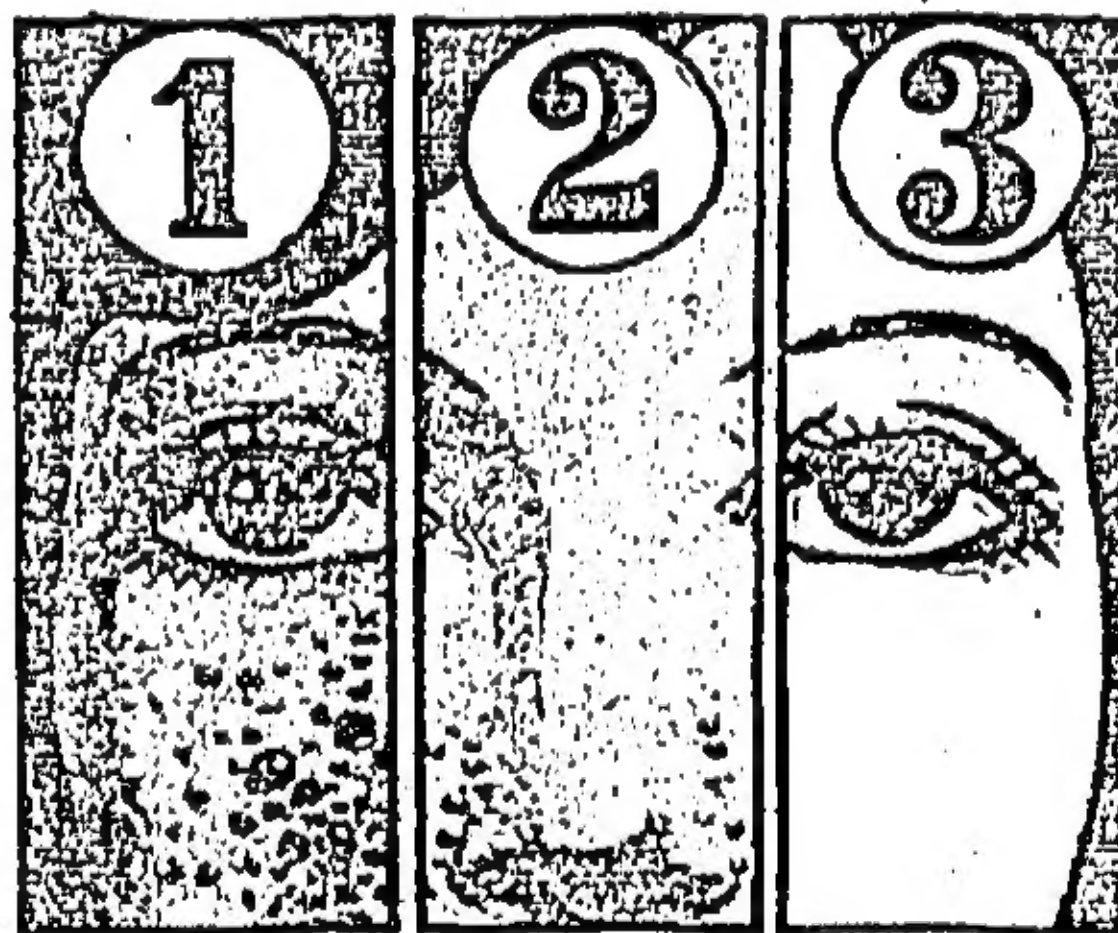
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JUNK PIRATED

FISHERMEN ROBBED NEAR HONGKONG

A cargo junk, of 397 piculs capacity, was pirated off Lema Islands, in Chinese waters on Saturday afternoon. Eight pirates, all having the appearance of fishermen, and armed with revolvers, participated, and after terrorizing the master, the crew and their families, sailed away in a large three-masted craft carrying with them \$60 in Hongkong bank notes and other property to the total value of \$235.

On their approach to the cargo junk, the pirates opened fire, but nobody was injured.

News of the outrage reached Police headquarters in a report made by Cheung Pang-sing, 39, master of the junk on its arrival in port yesterday. He stated that on Thursday he left Po Toi, Stanley, with a crew of nine men, their wives and families, to go fishing off Lema Islands. At 2 p.m. on Saturday when the junk was off Yatmun, a point on the island, he and his crew were fishing in two small boats when a three-masted fishing junk, of about 400 piculs capacity, approached. She had a main and four smaller sails. She drew alongside and eight men armed with revolvers fired several shots.

The master and crew had by then returned to their craft to protect the women and children. They were huddled together in the middle hold while the pirates proceeded to ransack the vessel and after this, they ordered the crew to return to the deck where they were searched.

Immediately afterwards the pirates left, sailing west of the Lema Islands.

BY FALSE PRETENCE.

CHINESE SWINDLES MONEY FROM FOUR COOLIES

A promise of a job in the Botanical and Forestry Department led four coolies to part with various sums of money last week. They found out the deception on Sunday and took the man who fooled them to the Hunghom Police Station.

Charging Liu Cheong before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with obtaining money by false pretences, Sergeant Whelan said that defendant obtained sums of 50 cents, \$1, \$1.20 and \$2 from the four complainants, promising them each a job with the Botanical and Forestry Department. Defendant was to have taken them out to Yuen Long to their new jobs on Sunday, but after they had waited a long time, the lorry, which was to have taken them there, failed to show up. The four complainants became suspicious and took defendant to the Hunghom Police Station.

Two of the complainants, said Sergeant Whelan, were employed as coolies in the erection of the new Magistracy in Kowloon, while another was engaged in W. S. Bailey's Shipyard, at Cheung-shawan.

Defendant pleaded guilty to all charges, and was sentenced to three months.



CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Sleepers East," check-full of excitement, romance, adventure, intrigue, drama and humour, comes to the King's Theatre on Thursday. It is the new Fox Film, based on Frederick Nobel's best selling novel of the same name, and has a stellar array of players in its principal roles. The story concerns a young girl who quite involuntarily finds herself the only eye-witness to a murder. She tries to avoid being questioned, for her finds that both her speaking and her silence would involve the fate of some human being. She chooses to remain out of sight for the sake of her own reputation. But the battle of the opposing factions does not leave her as successful as she hoped to be. In one of the most ingenious plots, the truth becomes known and she is permitted to live her own life again. The principal roles in a large cast of performers are played by Wynne Gibson, Preston Foster, Mona Barrie, Harvey Stephens, Rogers Imhof, J. Carol Nash, Howard Lally and Suzanne Karen. Kenneth MacKenna directed from the screen play by Lester Cole.

"20,000 Years in Sing Sing"

Chalk up another smash hit for Warner Bros., who have been giving us the greatest lot of motion pictures we have seen this year or any other year. In "20,000 Years in Sing Sing," which is showing from Thursday at the Queen's Theatre, the Warner Bros. First National studios have taken the sensational book of the same title by Lewis E. Lawes, Warden of Sing Sing Prison, and imbued it with a vitality and appeal that has made one of the most stirring film epics this reviewer has seen. It is a picture which grips you, that holds you, fascinates you from start to finish. For presents in a most graphic style the lives and emotions of 1,000 men without women, and their women without—who wait for their men to serve their time with an undying loyalty—that even if misplaced, is nevertheless touching in its depths. There is a deeply, and poignant pathos to the gripping story. To Spencer Tracy must go the palm for one of the most sincerely impressive characterizations he has given. His work is a masterpiece. Spencer Tracy, as Tom Connors, a former "big shot" who is sentenced to Sing Sing for an indefinite period from five to 30 years. Bette Davis plays the role of his sweetheart who is willing to wait until he has served his sentence, and hers too, is an inspired performance. We are not going to tell you the story because we want you to see it for yourself. The entire cast has been picked with the most careful attention to the smallest bit part that characterizes all Warner pictures. Mitchell Curtis's direction is superb. You'll never forget "20,000 Years in Sing Sing," after you have seen it.

"Search for Beauty"

Add to embarrassing moments the experience of Alfred Delacambre, new Paramount player, who "panned" a crowd, and then learned it had turned out to honour him. When Delacambre left his native Dallas, Texas, for Hollywood as one of the thirty winners in Paramount's international contest for "Search for Beauty," the dramatic spectacle of youth, now at the King's Theatre, a handful of friends went to see him off. When it was announced that he was one of the lucky six out of the group who won four terms of banishment to Hollywood, Delacambre drove his car to California. Stop play off the last car of the train, he found the platform packed by a crowd of several hundred persons, and from one of them he learned they were there to see "some movie actor from Hollywood." With a bit of cynical wonderment, he joined the crowd and stood on its outskirts for some moments. Then someone recognized him. The welcoming party was for him. He had forgotten, for the moment, that he was in "Search for Beauty." Delacambre is featured with the other twenty-nine contest winners. The principal players are Larry "Huster" Cramble, Ida Lupino, Robert Armstrong, James Gleason, Roscoe Karns and Toby Wing. The picture tells the story of how two crooked promoters try to cash in on a health farm racket using two famous Olympic games winners as their fronts. It was directed by Eric Kenton.

"Fashions of 1934"

One of the most elaborate fashion displays ever presented on a screen is shown in the First National picture, "Fashions of 1934," which is showing at the Queen's Theatre with William Powell in the stellar role. The latest and most exclusive Parisian and Hollywood styles are presented at the show, including evening gowns and wraps, sport suits, negligees, dainty lingerie,

EXPLOSION DRAMA

COUNSEL BRIEFED FOR OFFICIAL INQUIRY

The great importance attached to the official inquiry into the West Point Gas Works explosion, to be held at a forthcoming date, nominally, in connection with the death of Tala Ram, one of the victims, is indicated by the fact that Counsel have been retained to appear for interested parties.

The interested parties are the Hongkong & China Gas Co., Ltd.; four insurance companies, namely the China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., the British Traders Insurance Co., Ltd., the Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd. and the South British Insurance Co., Ltd.; and certain property owners whose names are not disclosed.

Counsel retained include three of the leading members of the Bar. Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., it is understood, will be appearing at the inquiry for the Gas Company, on instructions from Messrs. Deacons; whilst Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., with Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Messrs. Johnston Stokes & Masters, will represent all four insurance companies. At the same time, it is understood that Mr. Jenkin has also been instructed by Messrs. Hastings & Co., to watch the interests of the property owners.

No date has yet been fixed for the opening of the inquiry at which the Coroner, Mr. E. W. Hamilton will have the assistance of a special jury, comprising Messrs. P. Teaster, D. Drummond and L. Dunbar.

Second Watchman Dies

Another victim of the West Point gasometer disaster has succumbed to his burns, this being Santa Singh, a watchman of the Gas Works, who died at the Government Civil Hospital on Sunday afternoon.

There still remain 24 cases at the hospital whose condition is still giving cause for anxiety. Inflammation of the burns has now, in the majority of cases, set in, and the sufferers are in a toxic condition, which means that from now onwards they have to be very carefully watched, as complications are feared.

The death of Santa Singh has brought the complete list of casualties to 38, and the number of those who have died at the hospital to 24.

hunting and riding costumes. They are displayed by more than a score of beautiful girls playing the part of mannikins. The method of display is also unique. The show takes place in an elaborate salon in which tables are set with wines and delicacies for the customers. Not a sign of a gown is in sight for display purposes. Finally when the customers are beginning to wonder where the display is, the lights are turned out, and a circular platform with framed pictures of men and women of the past stands out at one end of the room. Lights are concentrated on one picture at a time from within the circle. The portrait goes up like a curtain and behind is revealed the pretty mannikin in the latest style. The portraits aroused to show the resemblance of the modern style to that of fifty or 100 years or more ago, it being claimed that styles go in cycles and that the Parisian couturiers copy many of their fashions from the past ages. The platform revolves slowly so that each style may be presented.

This is one of the spectacles that is presented in "Fashions of 1934," a romantic comedy drama in which an American promoter corners the Parisian market. Another mammoth spectacle is a fan dance in which 200 beautiful girls perform in feather costumes. Bette Davis has the leading feminine role opposite Powell while others in the cast include Frank McHugh, Verree Teasdale, Reginald Owen, Henry O'Neill, Hugh Herbert, Philip Ray, Gordon Westcott and Dorothy Burgess. William Dieterle directed. The specialty numbers are by Bushy Berkeley.

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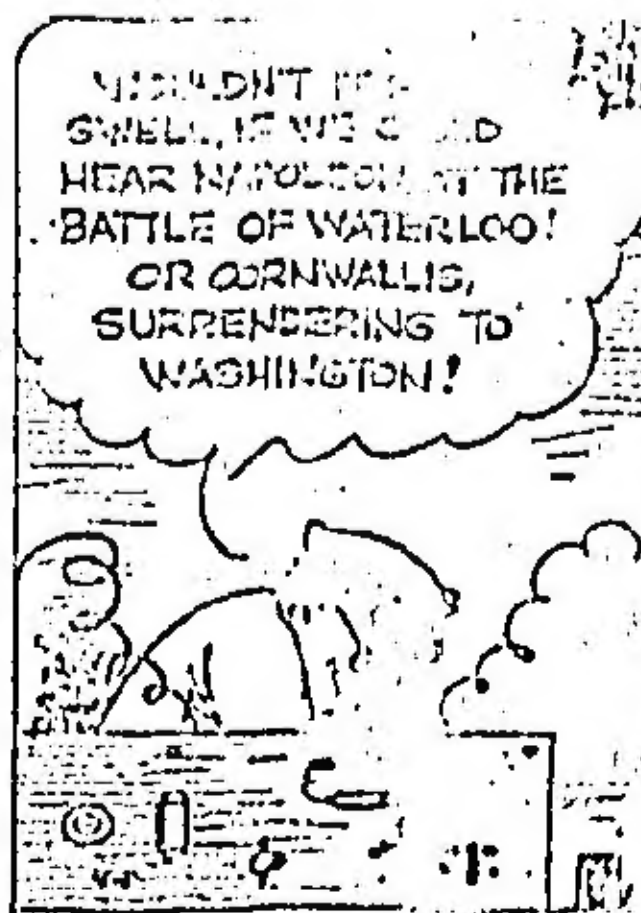
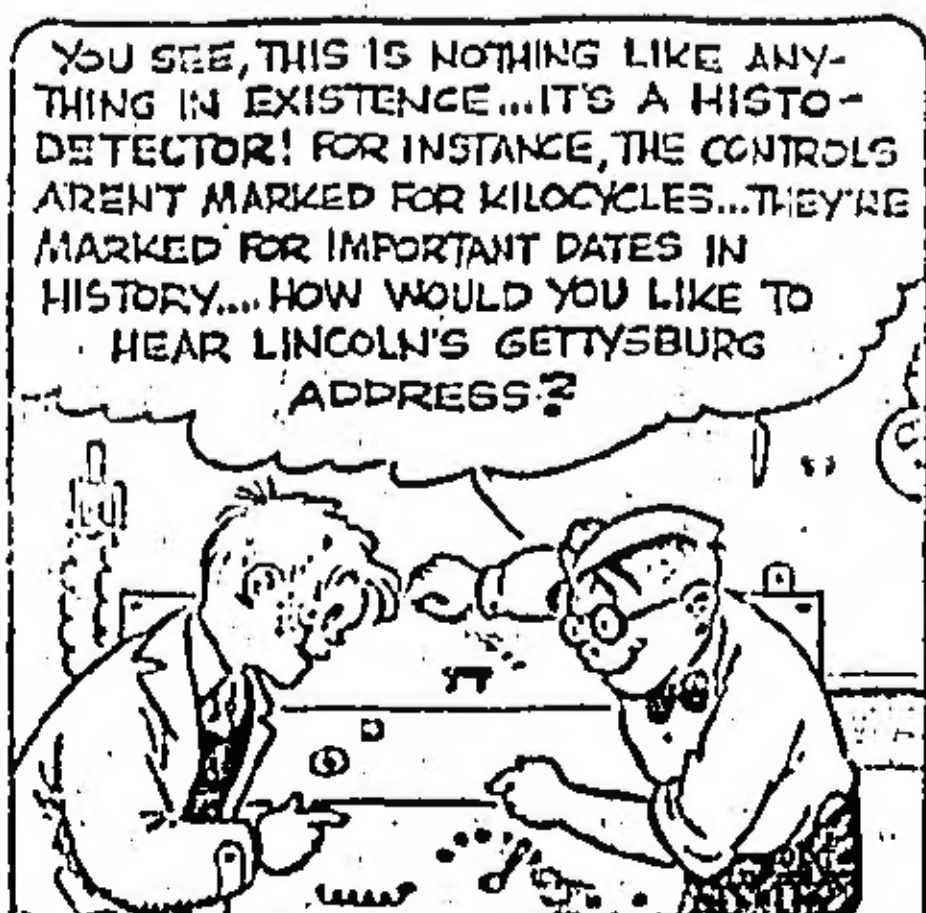
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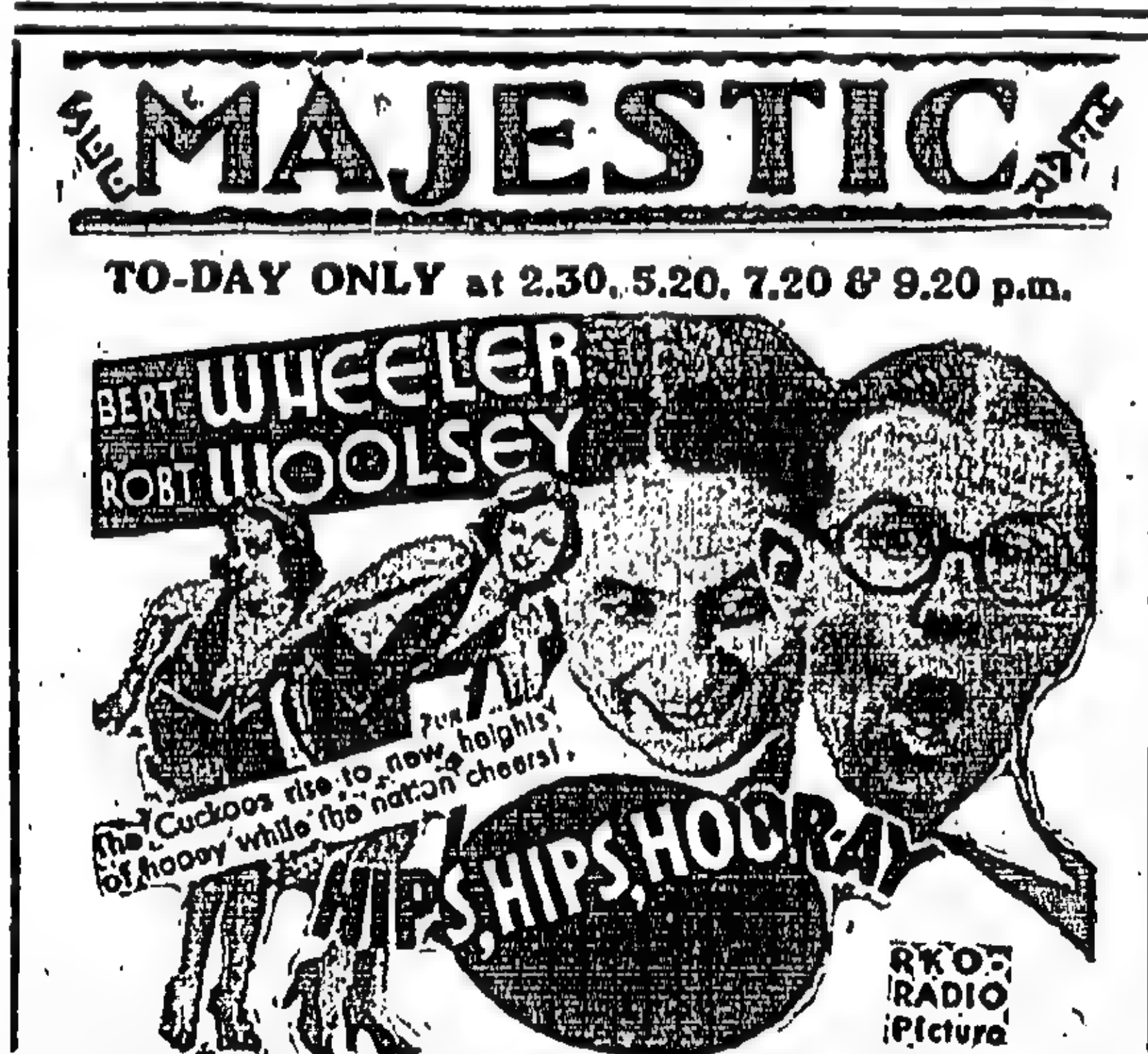


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GOODWILL MISSION.

AUSTRALIAN PARTY LEAVES JAPAN FOR HOME

Osaka, May 21.
The Australian Goodwill Mission to the Far East, headed by the Attorney-General of the Commonwealth (the Hon. Mr. J. G. Latham), left Nagasaki at 4 o'clock this afternoon by the N. Y. K. liner Kitano Maru.

The party will call at Hongkong on its way back to Australia.—*Reuter.*

LONGEST BAR

NEW YORK'S CLAIM TO DISTINCTION

New York, May 21.
Shanghai's claim to possess the longest bar in the world will be superseded by the Commodore Hotel bar in this city.

The Commodore's bar will be 126 feet in length and is designed specially to cope with vertiginous drinking, which was made legal again to-day, despite strenuous "dry" opposition.—*Reuter.*

MISS JEAN BATTEN.

NEW ZEALAND AVIATRIX LEAVES SINGAPORE

Singapore, May 21.
The New Zealand aviator, Miss Jean Batten, who is on a flight from England to Australia, arrived here to-day.

After re-fuelling her plane, Miss Batten took off in continuation of her journey. Her next stop will be Batavia.—*Reuter.*

N. R. A. ATTACK

DOES DARROW SEEK COLLECTIVISM?

New York, May 21.
The suggestion that Mr. Clarence Darrow, who was expected to soothe the N.R.A. dispute into somnolence instead of exploding a bombshell under its couch, is made by the New York Herald-Tribune to-day.

The newspaper declares: "One cannot help feeling that buried somewhere in the angry mass is a real and vital issue."

The New York Times observes that the business of framing and administering the Codes was terribly overdone when the Administration departed from its plan to create only a few codes for the leading industries. The work which had been undertaken, says the newspaper, is far too vast for any bureaucracy.

The Times adds that it hopes the immense body of unenforced and unenforceable codes will be heavily deflated.

The Journal of Commerce declares that the report reveals the existence of a Left Wing among the critics of the N.R.A. which would frankly convert industry into a collectivist structure. Darrow, it adds, becomes the candidate for the post of America's Lenin.—*Reuter.*

WANTS TO RETIRE.

DARROW NOT INTERESTED IN INSULL CASE

Washington, May 21.
A friend of Mr. Clarence Darrow declares that Mr. Darrow has not been approached with regard to the defence of Mr. Samuel Insull.

He adds that Mr. Darrow, recognised as one of the greatest, if

ASSISTED REDS

CHARGES AGAINST BICKERTON

Tokyo, May 21.
The ban on the publication of news relating to the New Zealand born Professor W. M. Bickerton, who was recently detained by the Japanese authorities on a charge of Communist activities, has been lifted.

It was stated that Professor Bickerton, who was attached to one of the leading Japanese Universities, donated 300 yen to the Communist party in April, 1933, out of the allowance given to him by the Government for expenses while on furlough.

It is also alleged that Professor Bickerton spent his furlough in Moscow, Berlin and London, instead of going to New Zealand. It is reported that he kept the Japanese Communists supplied with propaganda and published short stories dealing with Japanese proletarian life through Martin Lawrence in London.

Professor Bickerton is accused of having brought back to Japan a large quantity of inflammatory literature and having donated 100 yen a month to the Japanese Communists ever since his return from furlough in September, 1933.

According to the police, these donations went a long way to help the strained finances of the Communists.

Professor Bickerton is also charged with having urged Japanese students to join radical organisations.—*Reuter.*

not the greatest of all America's criminal lawyers, does not want to be drawn into another case.

He would like the N.R.A. report to be his last big job, the friend explains.—*Reuter.*

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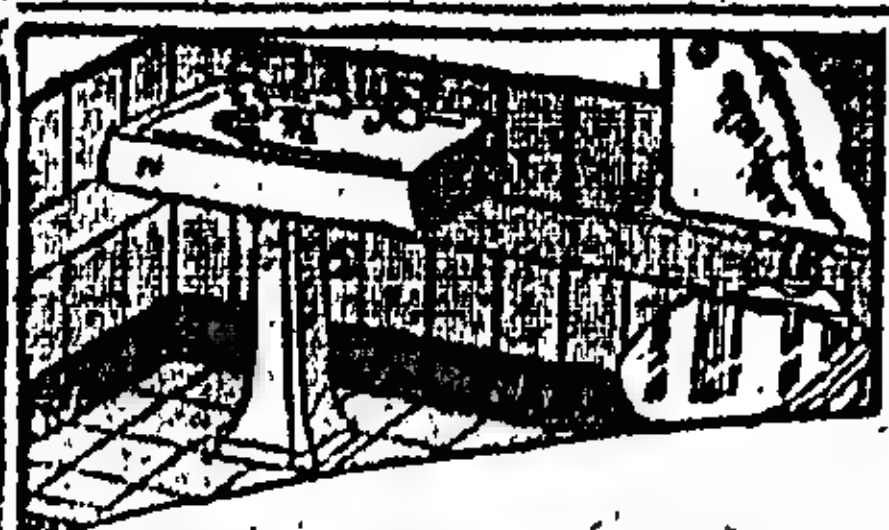
General Italo Balbo, Governor of Tripolitania, has made his first report on the Italian North African colony since taking over his new duties a few months ago.

The report reveals that the Italian colonist, who formerly proved one of the best labourers when, as an emigrant, he landed on foreign soil, is now showing his quality of endurance in Africa and on territory over which his own national flag is flying. The former-

ly arid sands of Tripoli, near the sea, comprise an area of about half a million acres, of which nearly one-third have already been brought under cultivation by the Italian colonists.

The latest statistics show that the concessions under cultivation already have more than a million forest trees, some 20,000,000 vines, 68,000 fruit trees, chiefly peaches, 58,000 mulberries for the cultivation of the silk worm, 2,200,000 almond trees, and nearly two million olive trees.

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Washington, May 21.
An important decision on the liability of American States for debts repudiated by their predecessors was announced to-day.

The hopes of British bondholders of recovering from the United States part of the \$78,000,000 estimated present-day value of the bonds repudiated by eight States of the Union a century ago was dashed by the judgment of the United States Supreme Court to-day.

The Court refused permission to the Principality of Monaco to file suit against the State of Mississippi to recover the principal and interest of bonds to the value of \$100,000 issued by the State ninety years ago.

BAN IN CONSTITUTION.

It is understood that the bonds were presented to Monaco by two British holders of the bonds power to take proceedings against the State of Mississippi, in view of the provision in the Constitution of the State prohibiting any future payment on the bonds, in defiance of the ruling of its own Supreme Court upholding the State's liability.—*Reuter Special.*

U.S. ARMY CORPORAL VINDICATED

Acquitted at Second Court-Martial

Colon, Panama, May 21.
The re-hearing before a second court-martial of the case, against Corporal Robert Osman, of Brooklyn, resulted in a verdict of not guilty and the acquittal of the accused.

Corporal Osman, eight months ago, was convicted by military court-martial at Port Sherman, Panama, when charged with the illegal possession of military secrets. He was sentenced to be dishonourably discharged from the United States Army, to imprisonment for three years with hard labour, and a fine of \$10,000 or, in default, a further 15 years imprisonment with hard labour.—*Reuter.*

JEAN BATTEN'S PROGRESS

LEAVES LOMBOK FOR KOEPANG

Batavia, May 22.
Miss Jean Batten, the New Zealand airwoman, flying from England to Australia, arrived at the island of Lombok to-day and left after re-fuelling for Koepang.

CHINESE AIR EXPERTS

INSPECTING PLANES IN ENGLAND

London, May 22.
Five Chinese air experts, headed by General Wong Kong-yue, have arrived in England for the purpose of inspecting British aircraft.

Outspoken Attack on "New" Organisation



Social and labour unrest in the United States may be further intensified as the result of the Darrow Report on N.R.A. activities. Stormy scenes have recently been witnessed all over the country, notably in connection with the longshoremen's strike and the knitting factory strikes. Photo shows a scene on the Philadelphia strike-torn front. Note the woman with the upraised umbrella.

C.N.A.C. DISASTER ECHO

FOREIGNER'S BODY WASHED UP

PASSENGER IN AIR LINER

Shanghai, May 22.

The body of a foreigner found by fishermen washed up on the Chekiang coast near Ningpo is being brought to Shanghai for identification.

It is believed to be that of Mr. Ivan Carlson, who was acting Superintendent of Communications in the China National Aviation Company, and who was a passenger in the ill-fated Sikorsky air-liner which disappeared on the morning of April 11 during a flight to Canton.

The machine vanished into the fog which clouded the Hangchow Bay region on April 11 and was never seen again, although postal bags and other signs were discovered confirmatory of the belief that she had met with disaster.

Others aboard the ill-fated craft were Mr. Robert H. Gast, chief pilot, Mr. James Frink, co-pilot and wireless operator, and Mr. T. Yonemura, a Japanese merchant from Dairen, a passenger.—*Reuter.*

BARCELONA RAIL SMASH

ELEVEN KILLED AND 20 INJURED

Barcelona, May 21.
Eleven persons were killed and 20 injured in a collision between two trains which occurred fifteen miles from Barcelona to-night.—*Reuter.*

RAIN PROBABLE

Pressure is highest over Mongolia, which is covered by a weak anticyclone. It is relatively low in a trough extending from India to the Western Carolines, and depressions are situated over Indo-China and South Manchuria. Local forecast:—East winds, moderate; cloudy, probably some rain.

CAT'S PAW OF JAPAN

STORM OF PROTEST IN MANILA

"BETRAYAL" BY FILIPINOS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Manila, May 22.

A storm of strongly expressed disapproval has been aroused by the action in concert of the Philippines and Japan in dissolving the Far Eastern Athletic Association and forming a new organisation, calling itself the A. A. A. of the Orient.

The Filipino delegates, in particular, are roundly condemned on all sides for permitting themselves to become the cat's-paws of Japan.

China's refusal to participate is considered to be entirely justified. The widespread spirit of protest is exemplified by an outspoken leading article in this morning's *Manila Bulletin*.

The article recalls that China was the moving spirit twenty-two years ago in the foundation of the Far Eastern Athletic Association and continues:

SOLEMN MOCKERY.

"Yesterday, in an atmosphere of solemn mockery, surcharged with hypocrisy, the Philippines took its orders from Japan and assisted in bowing China out of the picture, with due attention to constitutional technicalities.

"China is quite right under the circumstances to withdraw, but it will be a long time before all of us can understand why the Philippines had to be a party to such shabby procedure.

COWARDLY BETRAYAL.

"Of course, the Philippines had a perfect right to make its friends where it thinks best, but if Tokyo is so much more important, the Philippines might, at least, admit it and tender a profound apology to China rather than add the insult of insincerity to the injury of cowardly betrayal."

In the meantime, the Chinese delegation, of which Dr. C. T. Wang is the head, has addressed a wireless message to Nanking, reporting the developments, showing that the change of Association is only in name and a palpable trick, and maintaining that the meeting held by Japan and the Philippines yesterday was illegal.

POLITICAL PRESSURE?

The message says that the Chinese delegation did not receive due notice of the meeting or the matters to be dealt with, and infer that the Japanese brought political pressure to bear because the Consul-General, Mr. Kumura, was present.

The message is gentle with the Philippines, hinting merely that they were outmanoeuvred. Formal declaration of Chinese policy has made it clear that Chinese participation in the A.A.A. of the Orient is most unlikely.

SALVADOR LEADS THE WORLD!

Japanese Diplomatic Triumph!
(Special to "Telegraph")

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San Salvador, May 21.
It is officially announced that the Republic of Salvador (Central America, pop. 1,522,000) has recognised Manchukuo.—*United Press.*

DISASTER FUND

DANCE ACADEMY'S CONTRIBUTION

FRESH CASES DEALT WITH

The *Telegraph* Fund for the sufferers in the gas-works disaster continues to receive support, a further substantial sum having been received this morning.

Quite a number of applicants had their cases investigated at the St. John Ambulance Brigade distributing centre this morning, grants being made where the bona fides and need were established.

One of the cases dealt with to-day was that of a woman who had been badly burned on the hands, head and legs and who only came out of hospital yesterday.

Amongst the applicants are numbers of people who suffered burns but have not received hospital treatment. Where necessary, these are being sent to the Government Civil Hospital for dressing of their injuries, grants also being made in case of need.

The Ambulance Brigade has received a further sum of \$300 from the *King Shing Po* Fund.

ROTARY TRIBUTE.

"I would like to congratulate the *Hongkong Telegraph* on the enormous success of their Relief Fund," said Mr. T. B. Wilson, chairman, at to-day's meeting of the Rotary Club.

"It is not often," he continued, "that Hongkong has a disaster such as we had last week, and it is not often the Rotary Club has an opportunity to step in first to show their goodwill. The collection taken last week does not head the list as the highest donation that Fund has had, but it was the first."

"I would now like to thank all Rotarians and guests who were here last week for supporting that Fund. It has done a remarkable amount of good."

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A workman was seriously injured at Shing Mun Gorge yesterday when he fell and fractured his skull. The man was taken to the Kowloon Hospital.

H.E. the G.O.C., Major General O.C. Dorrett, returns this afternoon after his inspection of the military units in the Kowloon Peninsula.

BOMB EXPLODES IN POST OFFICE

TWO OFFICIALS INJURED

WASHINGTON INCIDENT

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Washington, May 21.
Two officials of the Post Office were injured to-day when an explosion occurred in the Washington G.P.O.

The explosion was caused by a bomb which had been packed in a hollow "book" and was being sent through the mails.

Federal investigators refuse to disclose other than the flimsiest details of the affair, but it is rumoured that the parcel was posted in New York and that it was intended for an address in the Balkans. No confirmation has been received, however, and its appearance in Washington suggests that it may have been sent to the diplomatic representative of a Balkan State.

MANGLED HAND.

The explosion lacerated the face and badly mangled the hand of the clerk, Myron Goung, who was handling the parcel, and caused minor injuries to a messenger standing nearby.—*United Press.*

THREE WOULD-BE SUICIDES

RESCUES FROM THE HARBOUR

Half-drowned, an alleged would-be suicide, Chung Yin, living with her family at 10 Third Street, was picked out of the harbour off the Western Quay yesterday, and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital.

A second case was also reported to the Police, the individual concerned being a man, Ho Yin-ping, who threw himself from the Mong-kok ferry Man Lee, but was rescued by a seaman.

An attempt to take his life by similar means has also come to light with the admission to the Government Civil Hospital yesterday of Ho Chai-yuen, who was rescued from the harbour at West Point yesterday.

All three cases have since been discharged from hospital.

CHINA'S INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

Sir Frederick Maze's Comment

London, May 21.

Sir Frederick Maze, Inspector-General of the Chinese Maritime Customs, arrived at Southampton on furlough until October to-day. In an interview with *Reuter*, he declined to discuss political questions, but remarked upon the great industrial developments in China which are bound to have a far-reaching effect upon international trade.—*Reuter.*

"It's the effect of these comic films," remarked Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning when a coolie was charged with assaulting another in their mess on May 15. It was stated that the two quarrelled over some food, and defendant threw a bowl at the complainant, who was hit on the head and had his teeth knocked out. The two were bound over in jail for six months.

BOMB-THROWING IN ALEPPO HOTEL

Political Outrage Suggested

Aleppo, May 21.
Several arrests have been made in connection with the throwing of a bomb in a leading Aleppo hotel where the President and Premier of the Syrian Republic were staying.—*Reuter.*

CHICAGO FIRE DESOLATION

ATTEMPT TO LOOT RUINED SHOPS

HUNDREDS LOSE EMPLOYMENT

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Chicago, May 21.
Normal life in Chicago has been almost completely disorganised by the disastrous fire which swept through the stockyard district.

Parts of the devastated area is still smouldering, but salvage work is proceeding steadily. Some of those affected by the disaster are in an ugly mood.

Five hundred men who have been thrown out of work by the destruction attempted to loot the ruined shops in the Halstead Street business neighbourhood and police reserves had to be called upon to suppress the outbreak.

CHARRED BODY.

Workmen searching the debris in the stockyards came across the charred body of a watchman who was trapped in attempting to save cattle.

There is reason to fear that a number of other people lost their lives in somewhat similar fashion, although the search for bodies is being handicapped by the hundreds of bones and carcasses of cattle, rendering separation and identification practically impossible.

The damage is now officially estimated at \$10,000,000, roughly \$2,000,000.—*United Press.*

HONGKONG DOLLAR ADVANCES

ROOSEVELT MESSAGE TO-MORROW

The Hongkong dollar advanced 1/8th this morning to 1s. 5d. Very little business is passing, the market being dull but steady. Speculators are awaiting President Roosevelt's message to Congress on silver legislation, which is expected to be made to-morrow. Silver has advanced 1/8th in New York to 45 3/8.

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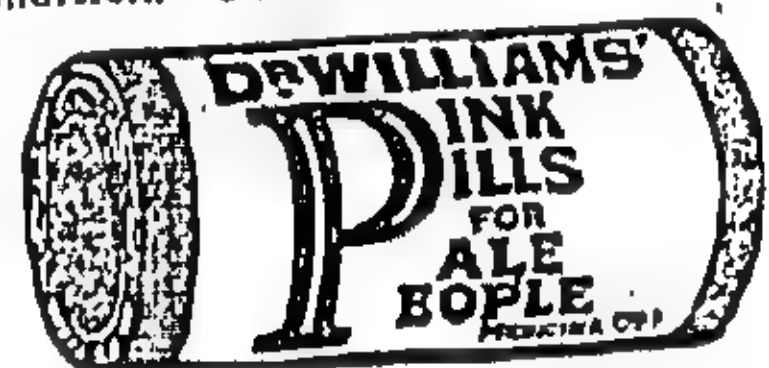
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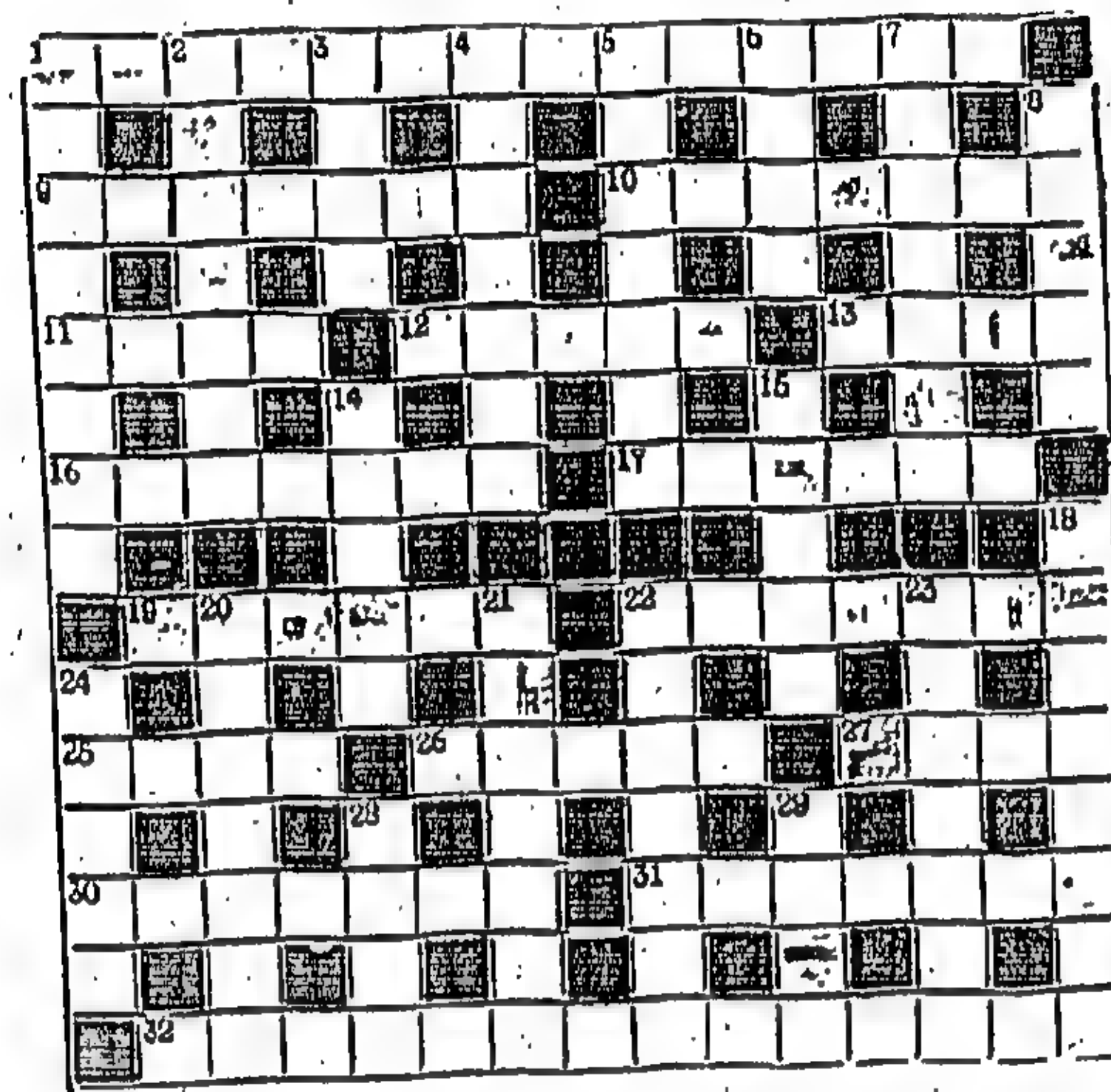
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- 2 Why be so rough with the poor
- 3 It's only a thin plate.
- 4 Malt nip (anag.)
- 5 Christian name of the hero of
- 6 "The Great Adventure."
- 7 For forgetfulness let a male—
- 8 well, let a male.
- 9 Bobbie.
- 10 Contribution.
- 11 Doffies.
- 12 This encounter is usually un-
- 13 friendly.
- 14 A quarrelsome fellow with a
- 15 rough heart.
- 16 Oblique.
- 17 Church publications.
- 18 Hold.
- 19 Mountainous mouths.
- 20 Useful to a weaver.
- 21 Visions.

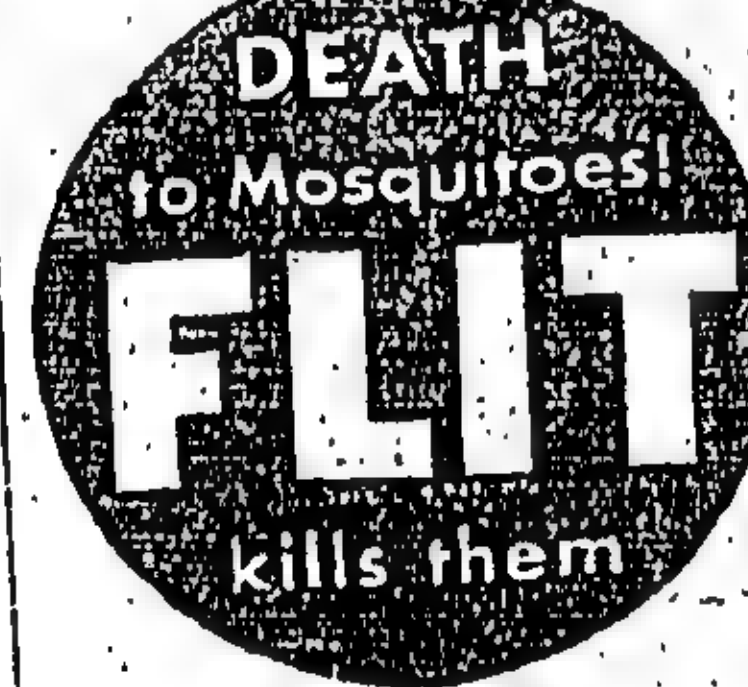
Down

- 1 Famous diamond.
- 2 It's the protruding portion that
- 3 protects the town.
- 4 Going up it takes the smoke with
- 5 it.
- 6 Triangle.
- 7 A hard word.
- 8 Poet.
- 9 Ho faces facts regarding a
- 10 catalogue.
- 11 Hurt—and wash it down with
- 12 nothing.

- 14 These invariably go after horses.
- 15 The coin one finds in a drain, or
- 16 in a French watering-place.
- 17 Spangler (anag.)
- 18 One of the U.S.A.
- 19 Great writer.
- 20 It's a blessing, I'm sure.
- 21 In this Public School learning
- 22 takes the lead.
- 23 Politicians may sit on one, but
- 24 thieves don't get the chance.
- 25 Tumbled hill.
- 26 Is it mostly a joke to propel the
- 27 boat.

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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

GYPSEY MORELL and TOM WEAVER are married the same day as LILA HOTALING and DEREK BLISS. Lila expects to live in luxury, but Gypsy intends to keep her job, teaching in a settlement house.

The first night GYPSEY and TOM spend in their New York apartment. VERA, TOM's sister, is in the room to meet GYPSEY, but GYPSEY can't get away from work to go. After a hard day at school she rushes home to find that Vera is coming to call on them. Vera arrives and the two girls dislike each other on sight. Tom seems relieved when Vera leaves.

Weeks later Lila and Derek return from their honeymoon in Europe.

CHAPTER V

It was Lila's voice on the telephone, sweet, slightly fretful, as always. "Is that you, Gypsy? We got back last week. I'm dying to see you."

Of course, Gypsy didn't take this literally. Lila was given to exaggeration.

"Do come for dinner next week," Lila urged. "How about Tuesday? Is Tuesday free?"

Gypsy, smiling to herself, said that Tuesday would be fine. Lila's air of supposing that Tom and she had a full calendar of engagements amused her. This was Saturday afternoon. Gypsy was glad she'd been at home when Lila called. Dinner at the Bliss's on Tuesday gave her something new to look forward to. What with watching the budget, and seeing that the bills were paid, the young Weavers had little to spend on amusement.

Then she began to worry about her dress. She didn't want to look "bridey"—that was fatal—but the ivory dress she had worn on her wedding day was the only really formal frock she owned. She took it out, stared at it critically, and decided that, without sleeves, it would do very nicely. She had made it so that the back might easily be cut down to a V, while the front was fashionably high, after that season's mode. Yes, with her last year's red slippers, it would do!

But when she routed out those slippers, they proved sadly disappointing. The last time she had danced in them, an irremediable grease stain had appeared from nowhere on the toe of the left one. Gypsy struggled, with cleaning fluid and chalk, to remove this. But all her efforts only made the spot more stubborn.

"They look awful!" She was ready to wail. It would be the grossest extravagance, she thought, to buy a new pair for Lila's dinner party. Tom, dashing in just then, whistling gaily, found her on the floor of the bedroom, bottles, slippers and bags strewn about, her face woe-begone.

"What's up?"

Gypsy sat back on her heels, pushing back her curly mop.

"Just these awful shoes."

"What's the matter with 'em, honey?"

She held out the offending object.

"This one's mess. I simply can't wear it."

"Well, what's all the excitement? I didn't know we were going places."

"Lila's home. We're invited to dinner."

"Oh, that—Gosh!"

"You don't want to go?"

He grinned at her. "Of course, I do. Tell you what, we'll go out now and buy you a new pair."

She said accusingly: "Thomas Weaver, you know rent day comes next week. And your insurance."

He snapped his fingers. "Right you are. Well, what about those ivory dingles you wore with the dress?"

She struck at her forehead. "What a fool I am! I'd clean forgotten my wedding shoes. I can have them dyed."

She would have them dyed green, brilliant green, and wear the little string of jade-coloured beads Father had given her on her last birthday.

Tom watched her, smoking idly, as she rummaged through box and drawer in search of the ivory slippers. She was conscious of his unwanted silence, and turned to look at him, surprising some new, troubled expression in his eyes.

"What's the matter, darling?"

"Nothing—only I wish I could give you things. You weren't very bright to marry a poor man, Gypsy. You ought to have luxuries. You're so pretty, and so young."

"Will you stop harping on that?"

He was serious, he said. It made him feel ashamed. A pair of scuffed and shabby dancing shoes, moulded to the shape of

Gypsy's small feet, accused him. "Darling, what do you think I want out of life?" Gypsy wanted to know, abandoning the search. "Just money and the things it buys? You ought to know better than that."

Tom said moodily that, of course, he did. But it wasn't much fun for her, he could see that. If she'd married Marko Broughton—

Gypsy laughed aloud. "As if I ever considered that!"

"Well, he did, anyhow." Tom tramped about the room now, seeming too big for the place. His shoulders were so broad, his legs so long, he made the little table and chair tremble.

"If you suppose he'll be there Tuesday?" He frowned at her.

Gypsy said, lightly, "How should I know? He's Derek's boss."

"Blossoming king of finance," growled Tom. "Thanks he's a buccaner."

Gypsy couldn't help giggling at him—a little. Tom was not appeased. How funny that he should be, after all this time, and after being married to her for two months, still jealous of Marko Broughton!

She pretended not to notice, and went hunting her ivory slippers. They were nowhere to be found.

"I must have left them at home," she said. "Although it's funny, if I did, Mother didn't find them before this."

They did not intend to go out to Blue Hills on the morrow, so she telephoned the house. No, Mrs. Morell had not seen the wedding slippers. They seemed to be irretrievably lost.

This was in the nature of a catastrophe for Gypsy. She came back into the living room, where Tom was sitting at the gate-legged table, with all his papers and figures spread out before him, and sat down without saying a word.

Tom pushed back the welter of work and ran his fingers through his hair. "Find 'em, honey?"

She shook her head.

"Well, look, why don't you run over before the shops close and get a pair now. You may not have time Monday."

Gypsy said, stubbornly, that she'd wear the red ones. She did

not add what she thought in her heart, they looked simply dreadful and Lila would be sure to notice.

She put on a cheerful face and went out to get supper. But the thought nagged her, as she boiled and skinned shrimps for salad and cut up handfuls of crisp white celery, and mixed mayonnaise. This time last year she would have rushed out, quite carelessly, to buy new sandals. She had spent a great deal of her salary on her young and pretty person. But now—well, it was not fair to Tom. And there were so many things they needed for the house. No, the red slippers would just have to do. And if Marko were there—well, it couldn't be helped, that was all!

Just the same, when she rushed home from work Tuesday evening to bathe and dress, her heart rather sank as she stared at the slippers. Her dress was all right. She had worked on it last night. It looked quite in the mode. Trust

Gypsy for that. But not even her clever fingers could transform scuffed and soiled dancing shoes into the semblance of new ones. Thank goodness her little black velvet wrap with the white fur ("cat" the twins called it) still looked nice!

She sang in the tub. It was exciting, going to a party. It was fun. She sat wrapped in her blue negligee, as Tom's key grated in the lock.

"I'm running the tub for you, darling!" She stuck the shoes out of sight, under a chair. Better not put them on until the last minute. She just wouldn't think about them until she had to.

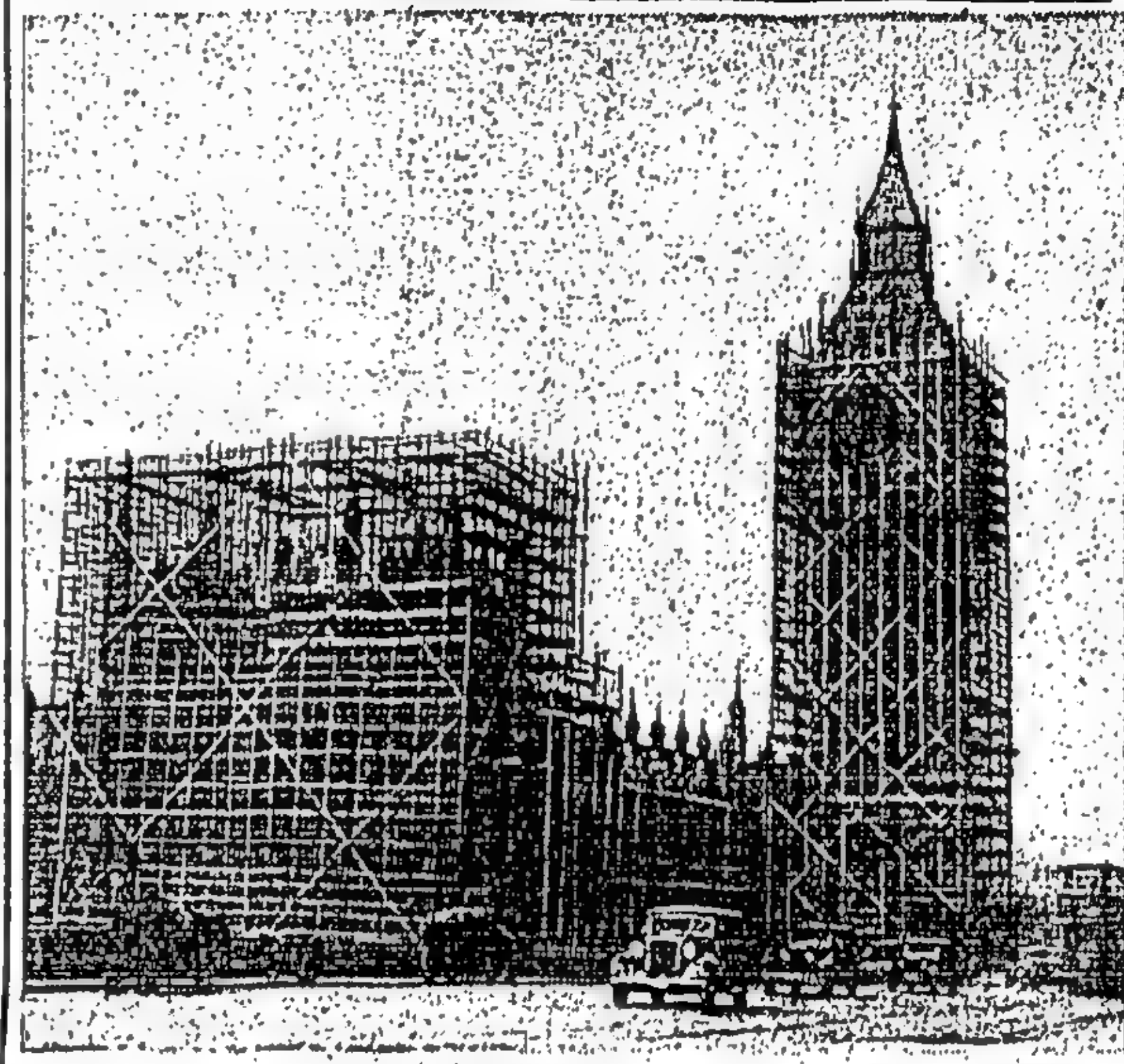
He came down the hall and leaned against the doorframe, regarding her. "Gosh, you look pretty!"

The mirror gave back the reflection of a curly-haired girl with wide, soft, eager eyes. Tom came to her and kissed her swiftly.

"Let me see those shoes."

She hunted them out and gave

(Continued on Page 11.)



The famous clock tower of Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament are now surrounded with scaffolding for repairs to the stone work which will take a number of years to complete.



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Educating croupiers in Paris, made necessary by the recent authority for all French casinos to have roulette wheels.



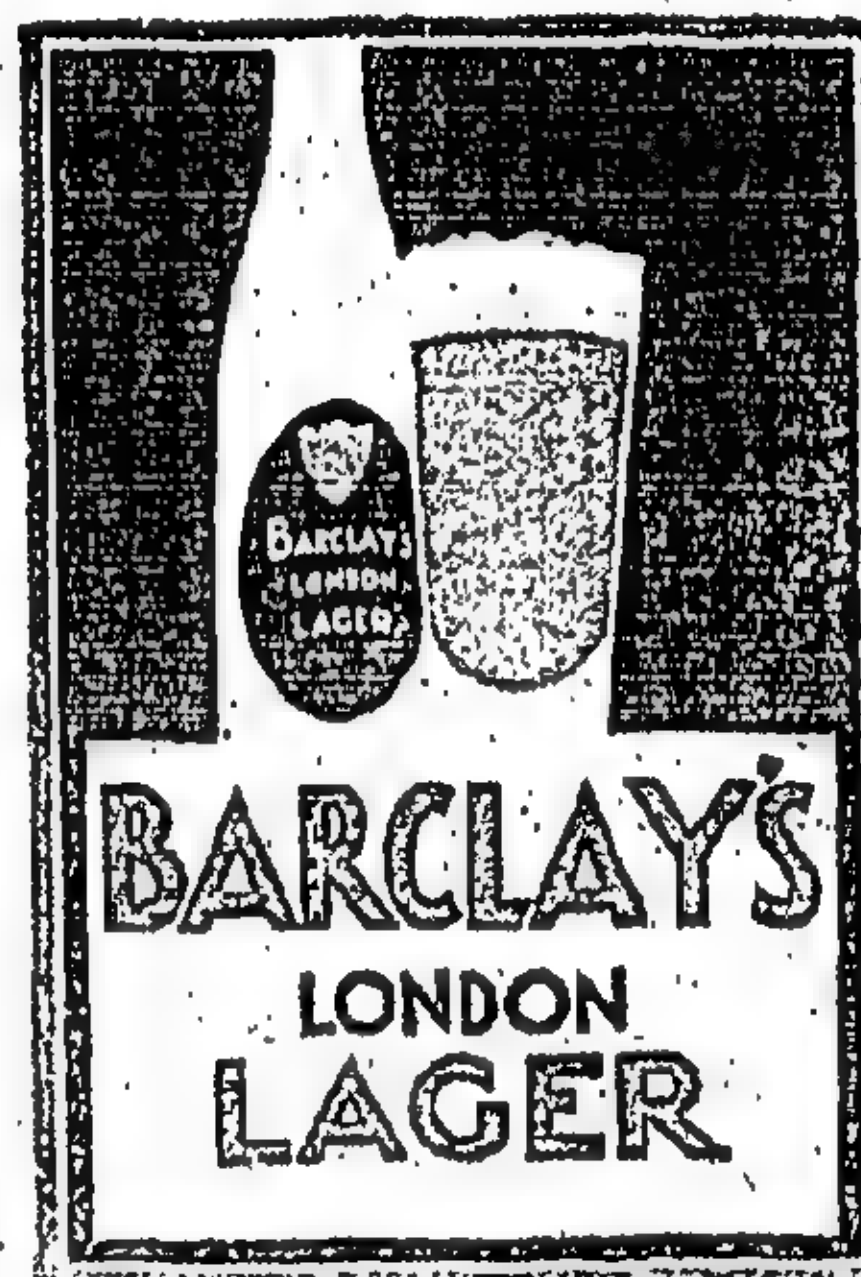
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2. The application form must be signed by a Head Master, who will certify that the candidate is a bona fide pupil of Class 4 or equivalent standard, that his conduct has been satisfactory and that he is not more than 17 years of age on 1st September, 1934.

3. There will be preliminary Tests in both English and Chinese Dictation for which candidates should present themselves at Wanchai Government School on Wednesday, 27th June, at 8.30 a.m. Candidates failing to satisfy the Examiners in the Dictation Tests will not be eligible to take the remainder of the Examination. Names of candidates who have satisfied the examiners in the Dictation Tests will be posted outside Wanchai Government School on Friday, 29th June.

4. The remainder of the examination which comprises Chinese, English Grammar and Composition, Geography, Arithmetic, Algebra and Practical Geometry will be held at 9.30 a.m. on Tuesday, 3rd July, and at 8.30 a.m. on each day from Wednesday, 4th July till Saturday, 7th July, both inclusive.

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NOTICE

REGISTRATION OF PERSONS ORDINANCE, 1931.

1. Attention is drawn to the provisions of the above Ordinance which comes into force on 1st June, 1934.

2. Unless specially exempted in writing by the Inspector General of Police or exempted by Section 2 (5) of the Ordinance, every alien other than an alien of Chinese race who is resident in the Colony at the commencement of this Ordinance is required to report the fact in person or in writing for registration at Police Headquarters within one month of such commencement, and every such person who arrives in the Colony or who changes his ordinary residential or business address or who is about to leave the Colony is required to report the fact at Police Headquarters within seventy-two hours after every such arrival or within one week before every such change of address or intended departure.

3. In any case of doubt a person shall be deemed to be an alien unless and until he produces a certificate, passport or other evidence to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police or of a Magistrate to the effect that he is a natural born or naturalized British subject.

4. The Registration Office at Police Headquarters will be open between the hours of 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. on week-days.

E. D. C. WOLFE,

Inspector General of Police.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LTD.
(Incorporated in Hongkong)

Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Society will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 25th MAY, 1934, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1933, and of declaring Dividend, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 25th MAY, Both Days Inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1934.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.
(Incorporated in Hongkong)

Notice to Shareholders.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-FIFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 25th MAY, 1934, at 11.20 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1933, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 25th MAY, Both Days Inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1934.

BRITISH TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LTD.
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Notice to Shareholders.

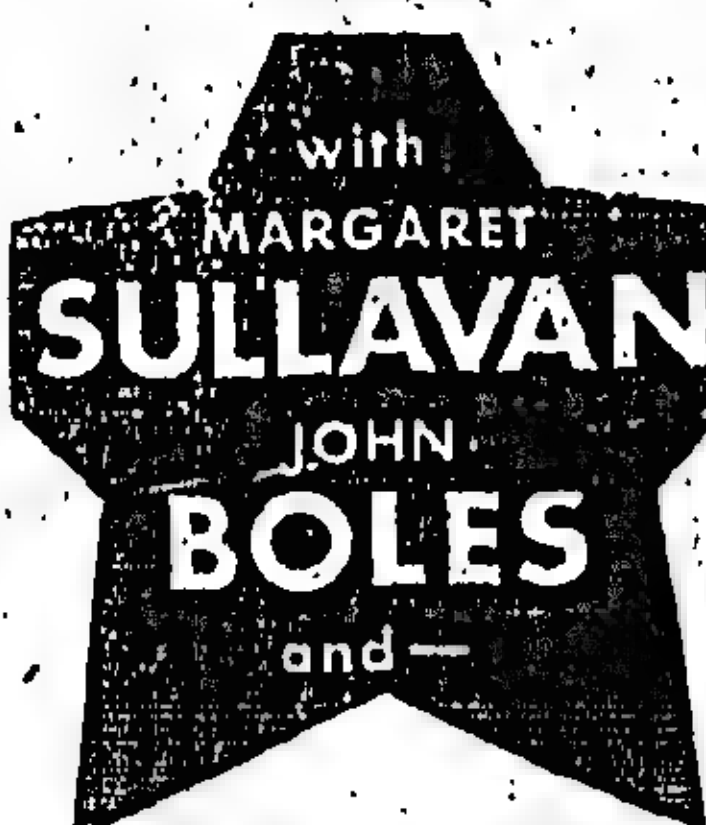
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTY-EIGHTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING of the Company will be held at its HEAD OFFICE, Union Building, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, 25th MAY, 1934, at 11.25 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statements of Account to 31st December, 1933, and of declaring Dividends, etc.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th MAY to 25th MAY, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

A. W. HUGHES,

General Manager.
Hongkong, 30th April, 1934.



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THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE LTD.
Notice to Shareholders.

The Fifty-third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of the undersigned on Friday, the 25th May 1934, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December 1933.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 11th to the 25th May, 1934, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LIMITED.
General Agents.
Hongkong, 3rd May, 1934.

WALLACE HARPER & CO., LTD.
(Incorporated in Hongkong).

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SIXTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS OF WALLACE HARPER & CO., LTD. will be held at Lane, Crawford's, Hongkong, on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1934, at 5.15 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Board of Directors for the year ended 31st January, 1934, and re-electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from May 21st, 1934, to May 28th, 1934, inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

J. F. SHEA,

Secretary.
Hongkong, 14th May, 1934.

RACE MEETING UPSETS

(Continued from Page 9.)

213, 26, 285, 175, 231, 142, 14, 150, 18.

No. 93 Race 2. \$561.40

" 114 " 160.40

" 101 " 80.20

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): No. 277.

No. 106 Race 3. \$392

" 111 " 112

" 157 " 56

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 209, 60, 100, 252, 220, 145, 108, 107, 13, 101, 103, 201.

No. 247 Race 4. \$555.80

" 160 " 158.80

" 78 " 79.40

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 231, 102, 278, 65, 287.

No. 216 Race 5. \$708.40

" 123 " 202.40

" 84 " 101.20

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. Nos. 149, 14.

No. 231 Race 6. \$581

" 04 " 186

" 02 " 88

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 64, 268, 88, 35, 101, 22, 171, 73, 309.

No. 203 Race 7. \$610.40

" 85 " 174.40

" 105 " 87.20

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 294, 29, 241, 30, 116, 185.

No. 64 Race 8. \$1,072.40

" 117 " 706.40

" 187 " 153.20

Unplaced ponies (\$100 each): Nos. 281, 273, 95, 267, 284.

No. 258 Race 9. \$574

" 92 " 164

" 291 " 82

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 290, 232, 155, 158, 349, 269, 244, 182, 192, 38, 38, 25.

No. 250 Race 10. \$847

" 77 " 242

" 269 " 121

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 133, 95, 302.

No. 48 Race 11. \$910

" 210 " 250

" 274 " 130

Unplaced ponies (\$50 each): Nos. 105, 38, 345, 400, 228, 407, 350, 127.

LONG FIRM FRAUD TRIAL

ACCUSED PLEAD NOT GUILTY

The three men accused of participation in the long firm fraud in which a number of local companies suffered, appeared before Mr. Justice A. D. A. MacGregor, Chief Justice, at the Criminal Sessions this morning, to which they were committed after a protracted hearing which began at the Central Magistracy in March.

Accused are Jose Lizarraga (35), of Manila, Wong Sau-mo (29), of Shanghai, and Nicholas Levitsky, alias Meean, alias Levin, alias Meean, alias Lemon, a Russian, (34).

The basis of the charges is a conspiracy to defraud persons by pretending that they were carrying on a genuine business known as Standard Products Company. There are twelve other charges of obtaining credit and goods by fraud and money by false pretences.

LENGTHY HEARING.

At the Police Court hearing, eighteen afternoons were occupied in hearing fifty witnesses for the prosecution, and eighty-five exhibits were put in.

When committed, Lizarraga reserved his defence. Levitsky said he had been working for the firm, and Mr. M. A. da Silva, representing Wong, made a speech in his defence.

None of the accused was legally represented this morning.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, prosecuted for the Crown and was instructed by Mr. H. J. Lockhart-Smith. The following jury was empanelled:—Messrs. E. I. R. Leitao (foreman), Fung Chik-man, R. Shin, Ng Chee-ping, Cheung Kit-sang, E. W. Coulson, H. Saurbeck.

Mr. A. L. Landsberg was excused from service on the ground that he was connected with Reiss, Massey, and Co., one of the firms involved; and Mr. D. S. Scott was also excused on presenting a doctor's certificate to show that he was rather unwell.

FIRMS' LOSSES.

Local firms alleged to have been defrauded are as follows:—Messrs. Mustard & Company (\$438,776), Messrs. Rolis Massey & Company Ltd. (\$423,333), Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Company Ltd. (\$271,500), Messrs. Butterfield & Swire (\$52,234), Messrs. Anderson Meyer & Company (\$180), Messrs. Lubling & Smith (five cases of butter), Messrs. Wang Brothers (\$55), Chan-Ying (\$250), Fung Wing-tun (\$500), George On Wong (\$500).

Of the thirteen charges, three refer to the deposits by Fung Wing-tun and G. O. Wong, on the promise of being employed as shoefits, and a deposit by Chan Ying, on the promise of being employed by defendant as storekeeper.

All three accused were charged with conspiracy to defraud; in addition Lizarraga was charged on seven counts of obtaining credit by fraud and money by false pretences; Wong was charged on two counts of obtaining credit by fraud; and Levitsky was charged on four counts of obtaining credit by fraud.

The three prisoners pleaded not guilty to all counts.

Mr. Fraser outlined the Crown case at great length, covering the facts detailed in the Police Court hearings.

Evidence was later called, and the hearing is proceeding.

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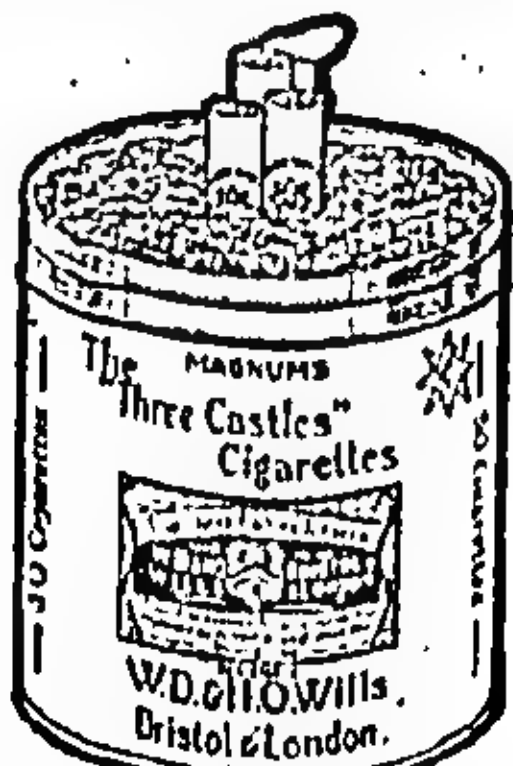
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- 3rd.—(Donated by the Eastman Kodak Company) Kodak 620, Anastigmat f.6.3 lens; 8 pictures 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 to the Verichrome Film Roll No. 620. **VALUE \$28.00.**

Consolation Prize of New 620 Box Brownie.

SECTION 2

BATHING AND PICNIC PHOTOGRAPHS

- 1st.—\$50. 2nd.—\$20. 3rd.—\$10. Consolation Prize New 620 Box Brownie.

SECTION 3

CHINESE STUDIES. (FIGURES AND FACES)

- 1st.—(Donated by the Mayen Studio) Baldax Camera with Meyer f.2.9 lens, Compur Shutter and built-in self-timer (Timing 1 sec. to 1/250th Sec.) **VALUE \$75.00.**
- 2nd.—(Donated by Carlowitz & Company) Zeiss Ikon Camera. **VALUE \$35.00.**
- 3rd.—(Donated by Waibel & Co. ("DEFAC")) "AGFA" Speedex Record Camera, F 7.7. **VALUE \$25.00.**

Consolation Prize of New 620 Box Brownie

SECTION 4

VIEWS, INCLUDING ARCHITECTURE & STREET SCENES.

- 1st.—\$50. 2nd.—\$20. 3rd.—\$10. Consolation Prizes of New 620 Box Brownie and one "AGFA" Box Camera.

SECTION 5

STUDIES IN STILL LIFE

- 1st.—\$40. 2nd.—\$20. 3rd.—\$10. Consolation Prize of New 620 Box Brownie.

SECTION 6

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- 1st.—\$12.50. 2nd.—\$7.50 and 12 Consolation Prizes of No. O Box Brownie Cameras. (Donated by the Eastman Kodak Co.)

The following Rules will govern the Competition:—

- 1.—The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- 2.—The Prizes will be awarded to the competitor sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by the form below.
- 3.—The right to publish any or all of the entries in the *Telegraph* is reserved.
- 4.—Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- 5.—At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.

- 6.—No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- 7.—Photographs which must not be less than 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 (excepting in the Children's Section) should be printed in black and white, with the entry form lightly pasted on the back.
- 8.—No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- 9.—Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- 10.—Members of the Staff are not permitted to compete.
- 11.—The decision of the Judges shall be final.

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CHINESE ESTATES MEETING

INCREASED PROFITS REPORTED

Increased profits were reported at the annual meeting of shareholders of the Chinese Estates, Ltd., held this morning. Mr. Foo Yik-pang presided, and there were also present:—Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Messrs. Leung Kwei-tin, Li Yau-tsun and Fung Ping-fan (Directors), Li Ka-shu, Li Ngoi, Li Wo, Li Cheung, Wong Min-nam, Li Po-wei, Lo Chung-wan, Reginald Fung, Kung Yick-tong, D. A. Purves and the Chiu Loong Co. (shareholders).

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH.

The Chairman, addressing shareholders, said:—The net profit for the year, after providing for Reserve for depreciation on China Buildings (\$30,000), bad and doubtful debts (\$53,222.42), and Directors and Auditor's fees and other expenses, is \$82,763.31 which, added to the \$366,566.43 brought forward from last account, makes a total of \$449,319.74. The \$53,222.42 under the item "Bad and Doubtful Debts" represents the balance of defalcations, and is now written off in pursuance of the proposal made by your Directors and approved by you at the last annual meeting.

The net profit, as compared with that of the previous year, shows an increase of \$11,712.03. In view of the present general trade depression, this, I trust, will be regarded by shareholders as being very satisfactory. You will also be pleased to hear that owing to the advantageous situation of China Buildings, every shop space and practically every room on the upper floors have been let.

As you know, two dividends of \$2 each per share have been declared and paid to you, and your Directors are glad to be able to recommend to you a final dividend of \$4 per share, making \$8 per share in all for the year. This dividend is the same as that of last year, and your Directors trust that in these hard times it will be considered satisfactory.

From the total net profit of \$449,319.74 have to be deducted the first and second interim dividends already declared, leaving have decided to recommend the apportionment of this sum in the following manner:—To pay a final dividend of \$4 per share, absorbing \$66,000; to carry forward to new account, \$317,319.74. It is hoped that this proposal will meet with your approval.

Before moving the adoption of the report and accounts I desire to express my appreciation of the close co-operation of my colleagues on the Board of Directors and also of the Secretary Mr. Fung Ping-fan and other members of the staff.

I beg now to move that the Directors' report and statement of accounts as presented be adopted. When the motion has been seconded I shall be pleased to answer any questions that may be put to me.

Mr. Lo Chung-wan seconded, and the motion was carried unanimously.

OTHER BUSINESS.

Under the Articles of Association of the Company, Messrs. Fung Ping-fan and Liang Ting-kai retire as Directors but offer themselves for re-election. Although Mr. Lau Tak-po's name was included in the notice calling this meeting as one of the Directors offering themselves for re-election, it has been found that under Article 105(b) of the Company's Articles of Association he is a nominated, and not an elected, member of the Board, and he has been duly nominated under that article. I therefore move that only Mr. Fung Ping-fan and Mr. Liang Ting-kai be re-elected as Directors of the Company for the ensuing year.

Mr. Li Po-wei seconded, and

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SILVER INGOTS

B. & S. FIREMAN CHARGED

Three bamboo bags, containing 180 silver ingots, formed the subject of a charge of importing unmanifested cargo brought against Chiu Tse-kau, No. 3 fireman aboard the Butterfield and Swire steamer Nanchang at the Central Magistracy this morning. Mr. T. P. K. Kemble appeared for the defence and the further hearing was adjourned to May 28 at 11.30 a.m. R. O. Grimmit prosecuted.

Mr. J. W. Walker, second officer, said the Nanchang arrived from Swatow at 9 a.m. on May 11 with no cargo to discharge. She proceeded to Taikoo Dock wall at 10 a.m. At 8 p.m. while he was in the Officers' Bungalow, he received a telephone call from Mr. G. Bird at the gate. He saw Mr. Bird, who asked him if three men who were present were members of the ship's crew.

R. O. Grimmit:—These three men have since absconded. Witness continued that he issued passes to the crew of the Nanchang, but the three men were not members. They had no right to be in possession of the passes.

R. O. Grimmit mentioned that the men were not arrested. It was a Friday and the I. and E. Department were informed on Monday.

Mr. Hamilton:—But surely if Butterfield and Swire find three men wandering about the dock, and with three passes that they have no right to have, they have the sense to charge them.

Mr. Walker stated he saw three bamboo matting parcels which contained what appeared to be silver. With the three men and a watchman he went aboard the steamer. They took him to the fireman's fo'c'sle where they pointed out the defendant as the man who had given them the bags and the passes. He admitted it.

Replying to his Worship, witness said the ship carried no cargo for Hongkong or for anywhere else.

Charged with importing three silver ingots which was not on the manifest on board, the steamer Chung On, Leung Lun was fined \$150 or three months' hard labour, the silver being confiscated.

the motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. D. A. Purves proposed, and Mr. Reginald Fung seconded, that Mr. Li Tung be re-elected auditor of the Company at a remuneration of \$65 per annum. This was carried unanimously.

The Chairman announced that dividend warrants were now ready and could be had on application at the Secretary's office.

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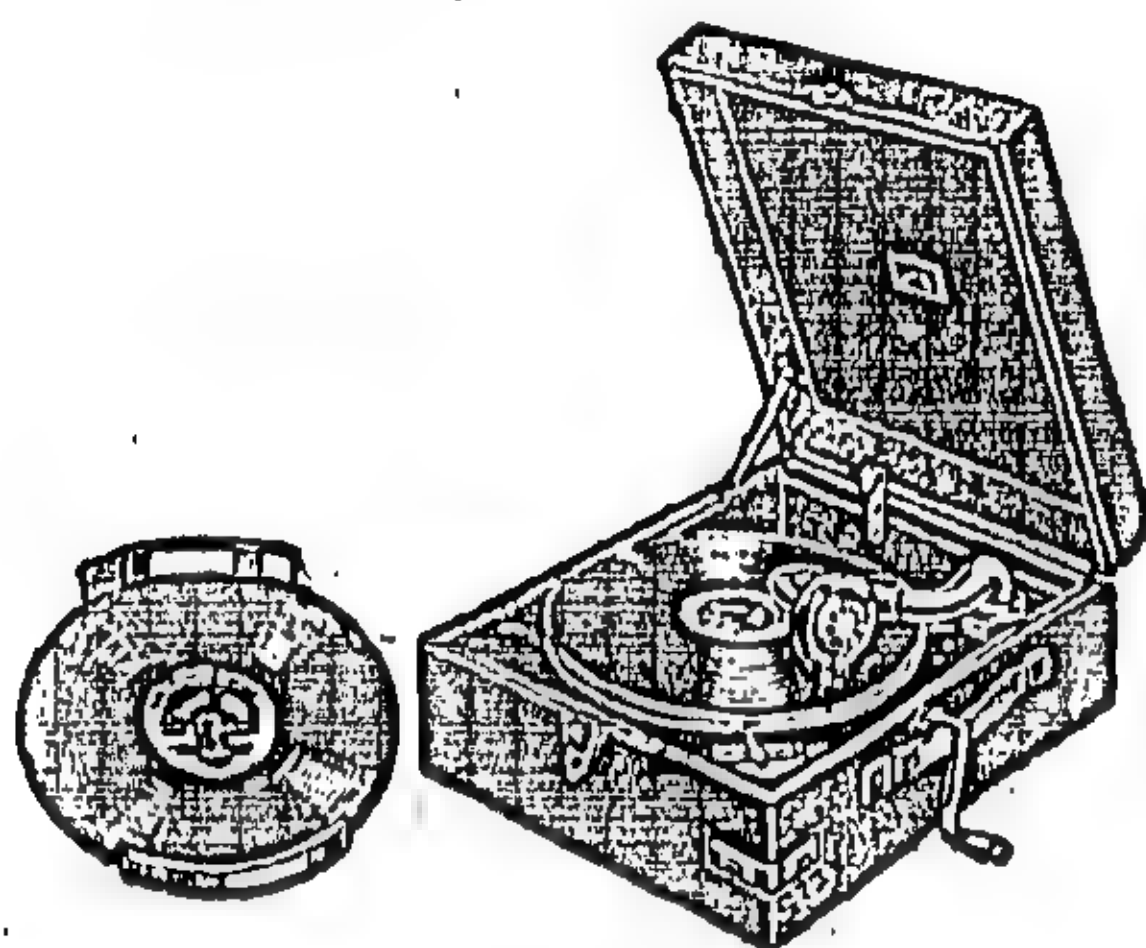
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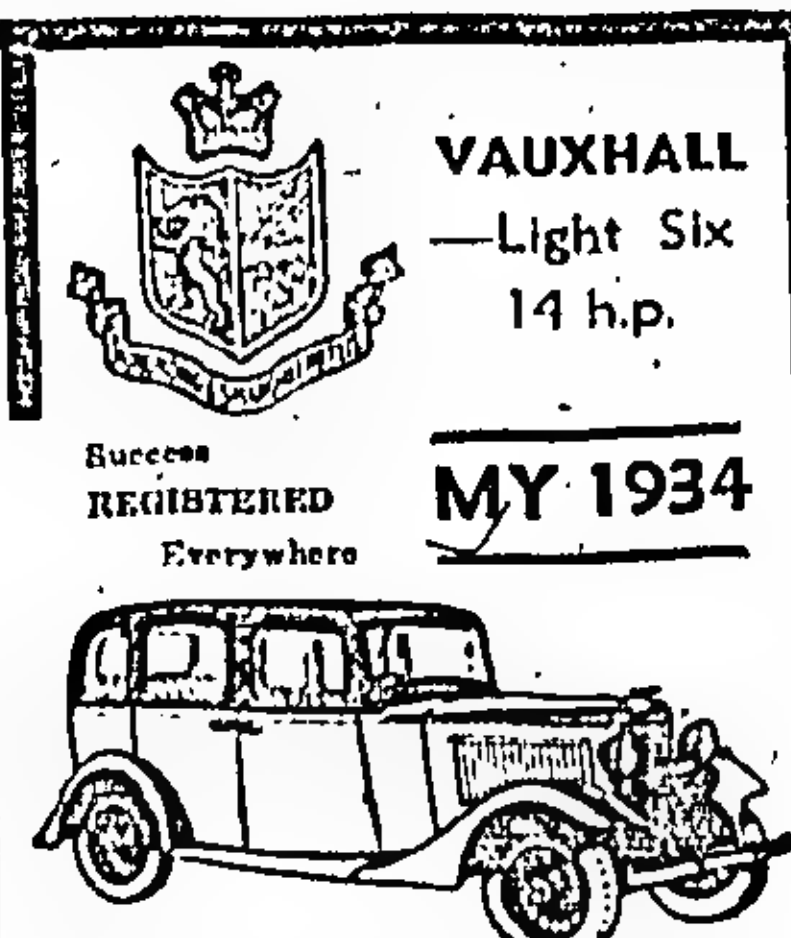


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TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1934.

THE BULGARIAN COUP

Europe and the world at large have received the news of the dramatic coup in Bulgaria, resulting in the establishment of a military dictatorship, with mixed feelings. At the moment, it is not possible to assess the significance, due in large measure to the intrigue, both internal and in regard to foreign alignments, associated with the upheaval. One thing is clear, namely, that the movement smacks of the Nazi order, in which there is to be no room whatever for freedom of thought, speech or written word. All political parties are being suppressed, Parliament is being replaced by a Government-nominated Chamber, and short work is evidently to be made of any elements whose ideas run contrary to those of the new dictatorship. The hint that the so-called Macedonian terrorist organisation is to be suppressed may be taken as an indication that a reign of terror may be instituted in this region, in accordance with Nazi traditions for subjugating political opponents. In these ways is the "Iron Fist" to be applied. The political and moral decomposition cited as necessitating the establishment of a dictatorship may well be nothing more than a disinclination to bow the knee to reaction. The likely political effects on Europe are of equal importance. In this connection it is a strange twist of circumstance which seems to bring this new Nazi dictatorship more into alignment with France than with Germany or Italy. Such is the expected upshot of Bulgaria now turning towards a policy of friendship and co-operation with Yugo-Slavia. Yet those who have been watching events in the Balkans latterly will not be altogether surprised at the suggested rapprochement between the Bulgars and the Yugo-Slavs, for it was not long ago that the two countries concluded a commercial treaty. This followed efforts by the Little Entente to link up all the Balkan States, in which King Alexander of Yugo-Slavia was given the task of wooing Bulgaria. Italy, however, is obviously upset at the latest developments, for it was believed that the ties between Rome and Sofia had been greatly strengthened when King Boris was wed to an Italian Princess. What the final outcome of the Bulgarian coup will be, it is impossible to say. But in view of the interests of certain Powers in the preservation of specific spheres of influence in the Balkans, any marked change in national policies in this restless region cannot be dismissed as of small account.

NOTES OF THE DAY

N.R.A. INDICTED

The Darrow Board's indictment of N.R.A. is severe, but not altogether unexpected. The institution of the inquiry was in itself illustrative of a suspicion that all was not exactly as it should be and was destined to be. And the result is damning. Briefly, the conclusion is reached that N.R.A. is repressive of the little man of business, that the new regimentation is no more able to reconcile private profit with public welfare than the old hit-or-miss system, that N.R.A. has, in fact, been exploited for the special interests of High Finance and the great monopolistic trusts. There was a chance for N.R.A. to exercise control of industry for the general welfare as long as the disciples of rugged individualism, as they like to call it, were prepared to fight it. As soon as powerful financial and industrial groups began to reveal willingness to co-operate—in short, to exploit N.R.A. for their own ends—the little man began to be squeezed out.

GEN. JOHNSON'S REPLY

It is futile for General Johnson to rake about the Board's qualifications, to accuse it of being incapable of fulfilling its functions merely because it has produced an unfavourable report. That does not help the General's case a bit. The National Recovery Review Board was established by President Roosevelt as an official body to study the workings of N.R.A. with special reference to its effect upon small enterprises. It is presumed that Mr. Darrow and his colleagues were chosen as the men most likely to provide the President with an impartial report. General Johnson's complaint, in the circumstances, suggests one of two things: either that he is interpreting the New Deal in a manner differing from that of the President, or that the people of the United States have been misled regarding the objective of the New Deal.

THE LITTLE FELLOW

The main feature of the Darrow Report is its demand for fair play for the smaller enterprises. It is interesting, in this connection, to recall General Johnson's statement of May 12, when he declared the virtual abandonment of the "little fellows" under the N.R.A., adding that he was not inclined to "fool with them any longer."

ROOSEVELT POLICY

It is impossible to believe that Mr. Roosevelt will accept the Johnson interpretation of the Report and reject it as valueless. In March last, analysing the N.R.A., he declared: "The Code authorises the keepers of their industrial brooms and they must establish every safeguard against erasing the small operator from the scene. The Code should reverse competitive methods whereby the little fellow is being squeezed out." This is precisely what the Darrow Report charges, N.R.A. has failed to do. The big corporations have used the codes to put the small enterprises at greater disadvantage. Their very size has always given them a considerable leeway over the small man, through the method of monopolistic purchases and so on. Code regulations have made things more difficult for the little fellow without any compensating advantages.

CODE "HONESTY"

If allegiance to the Code had been honestly accepted by the big corporations, in spirit as well as in letter, the indictment of Mr. Darrow and his colleagues would have had less force. But it is well known that in many of the great industries, nominal increases in wages have been accompanied by demotions in the status of workers, placing them in a worse position than before. Machinists who were receiving 65 cents an hour have been reduced to the official rank of labourers, paid 45 cents an hour, which included the code wage increase, and given exactly the same work to do.

SOMETHING TO BE SAVED

It would not be fair to deduce that N.R.A. has failed completely and utterly. Distorted and perverted by profiteers, it still contains within its structure much that can be used to economic advantage. But pitfalls that should have been obvious have not been avoided. N.R.A. has fallen into nearly every possible error open to it, notably in permitting the Big Business interests to form their own boards of control. It is possible, as suggested, that Mr. Darrow may be sent from Washington "in disgrace," but there are facts behind his report that cannot be disregarded. He will be vindicated ultimately, either by the initiation of reforms, or by the collapse of the code structure.

REACH-ME-DOWN HOUSES

By R. J. CRUIKSHANK

THE mass production of cheap houses is one of the most interesting experiments sponsored by Mr. Roosevelt's Administration. The Government proposes to give financial backing to firms who are willing to build homes for the people in the same swift, wholesale, standardised way that Mr. Ford turns out cars. They will extend credits, and share the ultimate risk.

Dilapidated frame structures and slum shanties will be replaced by trim little homes as like one another as match-boxes. A poet and an artist might shudder at this prospect. Described in the barest terms, it has something of the nightmare horror of one of those geometrical Utopias that minor imitators of Wells and Bellamy used to invent. To the alarmed imagination, those mass production houses may seem to lengthen in dreary vistas of prison cells.

The reality will probably not be as dreadful as that. In the first place, there is an immense need throughout the United States for the rehabilitation of house property. The traveller through this country carries away with him an impression of myriads of frame houses, brown, blue, green and white, stretching into infinity. Since the depression, there has been a lag both in new building and repairs.

Lacking the solidity of the brick villas of England, the frame houses of America have quickly shown the effects of neglect and poverty. Many of them are peeling, mottled, weather-battered. For the observer it is a question of whether one prefers picturesque shabbiness or standardised neatness. To the tenant the problem is not so much one of aesthetics as of comfort and well-being.

Then, again, attempts will be made to prevent the mass production houses from looking alike. There will be a standardisation of basic parts, such as floors, windows, plumbing, but relief will be provided by variety in colouring and architectural styles. It is estimated that the cost of a five-room ready-made house will be from three thousand to five thousand dollars (from six hundred to one thousand pounds). By American standards, this is remarkably cheap.

EASY TO BUILD.

It is suggested that householders will be able to "trade in" their old homes as part payment for new ones just as they exchange automobiles. One big manufacturers' association is preparing large-scale fabrication of wood houses of a one-storey type. The various sections can be made and fitted together in fourteen days. One virtue urged on their behalf is that they can be quickly taken apart, like dolls' houses, and erected elsewhere.

The objections that would be raised against these "reach-me-down" houses in England are not forthcoming on this side of the Atlantic. One can readily imagine Dean Inge denouncing this new "bungalow eruption," but it must be remembered that while America has a number of pretty villages and much lovely scenery, it long ago philosophically accepted the weirdest architectural improvisations and extravaganzas as part of the price exacted for the rapid development of new towns and cities. Many smaller communities have a peculiarly hasty, sketchy and ramshackle air, as though they had not yet decided to become permanent settlements. This is in odd contrast to the almost Egyptian solidity of some of the big cities. The rebuilding of the small towns is one of the problems of America's future, but it presupposes a more settled way of life.

This experiment in mass production is likely to commend itself to the country because of the stimulus it will give to a number of trades. There has long been a feeling that the quickest way to overcome the depression would be the exploitation of some new form of large scale manufacture. In some quarters there is a hope that this housing scheme may be the long-awaited harbinger of better times.

There will be a steady campaign of propaganda to make the public eager to modernise its homes. The appeal to patriotism and progress and plumbing will be all combined. If the idea is successfully grafted, it is certain to develop in complexity. From simple, cheap, ready-made houses we shall pass to elaborate essays in domestic modernity.

Public taste in the United States constantly fluctuates between the standardised and the individual. A man will veer sharply from a passion of conformity to a passion of dissent. One day he must have the counter part of his neighbours goods, the next everything must be different.

LABOUR SAVING DEVICES.

The "House of To-morrow," recently exhibited by the Westinghouse Company, gives a hint of future developments, which will come when people have more cash in their pockets. This home is a marvel of electrical devices for saving labour. There are nineteen motors to serve the housewife, and it is claimed that it would take 864 human servants to do the equivalent amount of work.

The laundry is run without human hands. Doors open and close automatically. The lighting is without shadows, and changes its colours periodically. When a burglar alarm is touched, every room is lighted up, and the front of the house is swept by light. There is a radio device on the dashboard of the householder's car which controls the garage doors, throwing them open when the car approaches.

It is possible to talk from any room in the house to any other room—surely a dangerous opening to give a "professional" bore! There are infrared and ultraviolet lamps. The house manufactures its own weather. Elaborate conditioning devices, based on air ducts in the cellar, provide an even temperature, summer and winter.

There are no fewer than seven wireless sets, including an all-wave receiver, which will supply the listener with music from some point of the globe or other at any given time. The price of installing these Robot servants is twelve thousand dollars.

The engineers claim that these electrical equipments will be common in the American home in five or ten years' time. If a real measure of prosperity returns, that is quite possible.



"Darling, these are my parents. You're going to love them."

The Very Idea!

ABOUT THE TOWN

By George

LETTER FROM
CORRESPONDENT.

"Sir,—Being myself a constant reader of your valuable paper (Note—We are proof against flattery of this nature now, as statistics show that everybody who is anybody reads the Telegraph) I do not doubt in the least that you will decline me a little space (Note—Why this request should have been refused we are enquiring) in order to appeal to anyone in the Colony, especially the official staffs of the theatres to take notice of my article and see that nothing of this kind will ever happen again. (Note—the italics are ours)."

WIVES WITH A VENGEANCE.

"Willingly they would lend their wives to each other but when the white men entered their paradise—the Eskimo heart cried out for vengeance—a vengeance that neither chains nor terrors of the icy wilderness could prevent"—citation of emotional publicist advertising "Eskimo."

We wonder if the idea intended to be conveyed is:—(a) that Eskimo-land is a paradise; (b) that borrowed wives make a paradise; (c) that it is paradise to be able to lend your wife; (d) that lending your wife is one way of getting your vengeance—"a vengeance that neither chains nor terrors of the icy wilderness" could surpass.

BY WATER BUG.

During the weekend the summer invasion of our precincts by the "fat at forty" and his wife, began in earnest. During the last one or two weeks a few of them came down to the sea in alps and raincoats but the weather helped us considerably in keeping the water pretty clear.

But Saturday was a day of terror. One feels sure that if the male species knew just what he looked like swimming—imitating a frustrated starfish suffering from acute indigestion—he would confine his activities to the land.

The only break in the day was when I discovered an old lady with a hole in her costume. When I made this known to her she was so embarrassed that she crawled all the way up the beach on her back.

BY A DIARIST.

During the holidays I debated with two or three modern thinkers the nature of the Ideal Anglo-Saxon Outrage (non-violent)—that is, the outrage which, without involving physical pain or loss of life, would stir the Colony most swiftly to shame and noble anger.

We came to the conclusion (it being then very late, and the Great Bear swimming and burning low over a tumbling sea) that the Ideal Anglo-Saxon Outrage is this:

"During the most solemn moment of a Test match, a bishop sitting in the Members' Enclosure at Lord's makes a deliberately frivolous reference to one of the jokes in the National Comic Weekly."

We also decided the Ideal Anglo-Saxon Death, which is to be struck on the head by a baronet with a bat signed by Hobbs.

CRISIS IN BOOKSY LAND.

The slightly hysterical book-critic who wrote, or screamed, the other day—

"Everyone will hail the arrival of a new and far bigger Ethel Mannin"

—is doubtless by now feeling as hot and embarrassed as the rest of us. Mrs. Effort, general organiser of Kindness Week (1934), said yesterday:

"Miss Mannin will have the sympathy of everyone who prefers her as she is now, petite and scornful of men. To want her bigger is absurd. We have plenty of enormous girls in the country already who could not expose the contemptible going-on of men to save their lives."

"We are asking everybody to be specially charming to Miss Mannin during our forthcoming Kindness Week."

Meanwhile the press have promised to start a fund to save Miss Mannin for the nation.

SENSATIONAL GOLF AT PRESTWICK

DUNLAP WINS AFTER OPPONENT REACHES DORMEY FIVE

BRITISH AMATEUR OPEN PROVIDES THRILLS

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, May 21.

Thrilling golf and some sensational recoveries were features of the British Amateur Open Championship tournament at Prestwick today.

Several prominent American competitors, including three of their Walker Cup players, were defeated, and the captain of the American team was among the big "victims" of the day.

The most sensational golf was provided by George Dunlap, the American amateur champion, and H. G. Packenham-Walsh, the Anglo-Indian player from the Royal Calcutta Club. They were followed by a crowd of over four thousand which was rewarded by a fireworks recovery finish by Dunlap which must be among the most remarkable performances in the history of the championship.



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DORMEY FIVE AND LOST!

Shortly, Packenham-Walsh was dormey five and Dunlap won!

When it seemed impossible that Packenham-Walsh could lose, Dunlap suddenly produced a spell of inspired golf in which his opponent's lead was whittled down to nothing. Dunlap won the fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth and eighteenth holes, in better than par, to square the match at the eighteenth.

Packenham-Walsh fought gamely over the extra holes. He halved the 19th, 20th and 21st, but was beaten on the 22nd.

LEAD A SNARE.

In the stage of this amazing match, Dunlap was very erratic and Packenham-Walsh thoroughly deserved his advantage at the thirteenth. It is possible that his apparently invulnerable position proved a snare, but Dunlap's finish was superb and he is strongly fancied after this escape.

Another great fight was seen in the match between Robert Harris, ex-champion, and Jack Westland, the American Walker Cup player. Here again the American proved the winner at the 22nd hole. There was no sensational recovery, but the match was almost equally entertaining, as they fought out each hole, first one player securing the advantage and then the other, the feature, however, being the number of halved holes.

SUCCESSFUL BRITONS.

Cyril Tolley, Roger Wethered, Ian McLean, Eric Fiddian and Stanley Lunt were all successful in their matches.

H. G. Bentley, of Britain's Walker Cup team, was badly beaten. His opponent was the Welsh international, Ivor Thomas, and the match terminated on the fifteenth green, Thomas winning by five and three.

OUIMET OUT.

Francis Ouimet, the American skipper, was defeated by one of his compatriots. He went down

WATER LEVELS.

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows:

	May 20.	May 21.
West River at Shuihung	4.0	3.6
North River at Tsingyuen	7.6	11.6
North River at Samshui	0.0	—
East River at Sheklung	3.0	2.1

BIRTH.

GILLESPIE.—At the Victoria Hospital, on 21st May, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. P. Gillespie, a daughter.

CAUTIONED AND COMMENDED

MR. OWEN HUGHES IN COURT

TRAFFIC CASES

H. Owen Hughes, the Inter-port cricketer, figured as defendant in a traffic case before Mr. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, whilst in another case he was commended for informing the police of a case of dangerous driving.

Answering a charge of having driven his car from Chater Road and turning to the Post Office without having circled the beacon, Mr. Owen Hughes admitted a technical offence. He said he was trying to park his car outside Watson's before going to the Hong-kong Hotel. He intended to go into Statue Square, but when he was half way round he thought he would go to Blake Pier instead, and accordingly cut straight across without circling the beacon. There was absolutely no traffic about, and he was proceeding at a walking pace.

The case was dismissed with a caution. In a summons for dangerous driving in Stubbs Road against Wong Kin, driver of taxicab No. 670, Mr. Owen Hughes was thanked by the Magistrate for having brought the case to the notice of the police.

Wong Kin was cautioned, Inspector Nicol stating that he had been commended by the I. G. P. and the Police Magistrate, for having effected the arrest of a thief who had snatched a handbag. Mr. Hamilton remarked that he was letting defendant off with a caution solely because he had helped in the arrest of a thief. Inspector Nicol said the charge against accused was that he had overtaken another car on a bend near the Hongkong Hotel garage in Stubbs Road, and Mr. Owen Hughes, who was driving up, had to stop to avoid a collision.

JAPAN SCARED BY A MERE SHADOW

French Journal Comments on Rajchman Report

Le Journal, commenting on the Rajchman report and Japan's objections to his liaison work with the National Economic Council of China, says that the National Council's 1934 budget for China—an anti-hill of over four hundred million inhabitants—amounts to Mex. \$15,000,000 only, half of which will be absorbed by road construction work.

"It can, therefore, be concluded, that the Japanese are scared by a mere shadow, as regards international co-operation in China. "It is also evident," the paper goes on, "that the possibility of action offered by the present policy in China are very limited. China does not lack the right technical personnel and has well conceived concrete reorganization plans. The majority of capable people, however, are kept away from public functions, owing to the fact that they do not see eye to eye with the present regime."

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HENCEFORTH THE MAJESTY OF GOD REVERE; FEAR HIM AND YOU HAVE NOTHING ELSE TO FEAR.—Fordyce.

For being in possession of 23 po pin tickets, a young girl, Au Ngau, who was on bail of \$25, was fined \$15 by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Inspector Andrew said she had the tickets wrapped up in her handkerchief.

Appearing before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Magistracy this morning charged with the possession of 121 po pin lottery tickets, a young woman, Chan Mui, stated that when she was searched she was told by the police that the total number of tickets was 45. The tickets were counted in Court and found to total 121. A fine of \$30 or three weeks' imprisonment, or both, was imposed. Club boy, Wong Wai, who failed to appear to answer a charge of the possession of 21 Macao po pin lottery tickets, forfeited his bail of \$25.

Two hundred and eighty-eight tuels of raw opium, cleverly concealed in a suitcase led to a fine of \$1,150 or ten months' hard labour being imposed on a man, Chan Chiu-lung, when he appeared before Mr. Hamilton in the Central Police Court this morning. Revenue Officer Grimmit said defendant was a carrier on his way to Shanghai. He was arrested in Connaught Road West. The suitcase was ordered to be confiscated. Arrested in Connaught Road Central with 61 tuels of illicit opium concealed on her, a woman, Lo Mui, was fined \$1,200 or ten months' hard labour.

Miss Landolt, of No. 4 Cumberland Road, and J.M. Abraham were each fined \$8 by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for allowing their dogs out in a public street without a muzzle.

Lam Ming, 27, ex-police constable and now a street coolie, pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning to the theft of a silk jacket from the roof of No. 92 Bonham Strand East, and was fined \$30 or three weeks' imprisonment in default. Det-Sergeant Goodwin stated that defendant was dismissed from the Police Force five years ago.

While walking along Des Voeux Road Central near Ice House Street last night, a Chinese woman was robbed of her handbag which contained \$1.90. The thief was pursued by an Indian policeman and when caught the bag was in his possession. The man, Lo See, 35, unemployed, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Magistracy this morning when sentence of six months' hard labour was passed. Sergeant D. Reddy prosecuted.

Remanded from Saturday on a charge of assaulting a foreman, three Chitchow men engaged in work on the new Hongkong and Shanghai Bank building, were bound over by Mr. Hamilton in the Central Magistracy this morning. Detective Sergeant D. Fitches said complainant was not a foreman but a sub-contractor who engaged coolies for the foreman. On this occasion the complainant found 24 coolies for the foreman who agreed to pay each coolie for five days' work. No 1 coolies received 80 cents per day and No. 2 coolies 60 cents.

HOSPITAL PRACTICE

TUNG WAH DOCTOR REPLIES

ACCIDENT CASES

Sir,—Under the column Notes of the Day in your issue of May 19th, is a paragraph bearing the heading "Tung Wah and others", in which reference was made to a case of accident which was alleged to have been refused admission in the Tung Wah Hospital, because "the proper procedure had not been followed", and your paragraph-writer went on to state "the Hospital has not yet ventured any reply to the complaint."

May I make the following observations in reply? 1. I first saw the above-mentioned complaint in another paper on 18th, inst, and in your paper on 19th, inst. Partly due to investigations which were pending, and partly because the Medical Staff of the Hospital has other work to do, reply to the complaint has been delayed. Your paragraph-writer's suggestion of not "venturing" to reply is therefore based on an erroneous assumption.

2. There is no question of admission being refused merely because "the proper procedure has not been followed." For many reasons it is felt desirable that whenever possible all accident cases should be sent to the Government Civil Hospital, but before they are sent there, first-aid treatment is given whenever necessary. With the G. C. H. practically next door to the Tung Wah, this should not entail any hardship on accident cases. Those that are too ill to go, are admitted and treated in the Tung Wah—and the main objective of saving life first is never lost sight of.

3. It is so easy to work oneself into hysterics with the thought that an accident case is refused admission into a hospital, but when the refusal merely consists in referring the case to a building or hospital practically next door, and when the latter hospital is more generously equipped and staffed for the purpose, it must be conceded, that even from the patient's point of view, in taking this step, it is the better part of wisdom. In Europe and America, it is not unusual to find in each city hospitals specialised in the treatment of fractures and such accident cases, to which cases from all over the city are sent. If the Government Civil Hospital is considered to be such a specialised hospital, there need not be the hullabaloo raised because accident cases are sent there. It would be indeed reprehensible, if cases are sent all over the city regardless of their general condition and without a preliminary first-aid treatment, but with the safe-guards mentioned in paragraph 2, no sensible and valid objections can be raised in opposition.

4. It is so easy to preach what a hospital should do under the circumstances, and to make the suggestion to the effect that one should ignore the police and "red tape", but it is not facing realities and it is impracticable, and, in view of the foregoing, unnecessary. 5. It is commendable of the writer of your column to be vigilant on such a matter of public interest, but it would be still more commendable if he had "tempered vigilance with justice"—(as Shakespeare might have said)—and refrained from making adverse comments until he had studied the two sides to every question.

May I request you to publish this and to thank you for the courtesy of the same?

S. W. PHOON M.S., M.D.
Medical Superintendent,
Tung Wah Hospital

The Kennels, Kowloon

Sir,—They hunt our steps, that we cannot go into our streets; our end is near, our days are fulfilled; for our end is come.

"Our persecutors are swifter than the eagles of the heaven: they pursued us upon the mountains, they laid wait for us in the wilderness."—Lamentations III, 18-19.

A TWO-AND-HALF-MONTHS' OLD PUP.

BACK TO CHINA.

TREBITSCH LINCOLN ON HIS WAY

Montreal, May 21. Trebitsch Lincoln, the Buddhist monk, who attempted to carry on a missionary tour of England but who was deported back to Canada, has left here, en route for China.

The traveller, accompanied by a number of disciples, boarded the train for Vancouver to-day, soon after his ship arrived from England.—Reuter.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

CONCERT FROM THE STUDIO TO-NIGHT

From ZBW, on a wavelength of 355 metres:
4.30-7.30 p.m. Chinese programme.
7.30-8.30 p.m. From the Studio.
An Address on behalf of the "British Empire Cancer Campaign" by Doctor Arthur Woo. (In Chinese).
7.30-10.30 p.m. European programme.
7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.
7.33-7.40 p.m. The B.B.C. Wireless Singers.

(a) Where the Bee Sucks (arr. Shaw).
(b) Come Let us Join the Roundelay (Wm. Heale).
(c) It was a Lover and His Lass. 7.40-8 p.m. From the Studio.
An Address on behalf of the "British Empire Cancer Campaign" by Doctor J. H. Montgomery.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.
8.03-8.47 p.m. Orchestral.
Lia. Preludes—Symphonic Poem (Liszt).
London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.

Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 1 (Elgar).
Bavarian Dance, Op. 27, No. 2 (Elgar).
London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.

Bolero (Ravel).
Willem Mengelberg and His Concertgebouw Orchestra.

8.47-9 p.m. Orchestral.
Love's Dream After the Ball (arr. Willoughby).
Echoes of the Ball (Willoughby).
Andante in G (Battiste).
Andantino (Song of the Soul) (Lamure).

The J. H. Squire Celeste Orchestral.

9-10.30 p.m. Concert from the Studio.
Mrs. Helen Lockhart (Contralto).
Mr. W. H. Bailey (Baritone).
Mr. H. G. Anniss (Tenor).
Accompanist—Mr. Frederick Manson.
A.R.C.O., L.T.C.L.
Luba Shafstain—Pianoforte.
Professor N. A. Tonoff—Violin.
Diet Barly—Humorous Programme.

1 Songs—
(a) Heming (del Riego)
(b) Hushen (Needham).
Mrs. Helen Lockhart.

2 Songs—
(a) The Ballad Monzer (Eusthoped Martin).
(b) Dolorosa (Montague Phillips).
Mr. H. G. Anniss.

3 Violin Solos—
(a) Romance (Wieniawsky)
(b) Poem (Fibich).
Professor N. A. Tonoff accompanied by Luba Shafstain.

4 Songs—
(a) When Lights Go Rolling (John Ireland).
(b) Sea Fever (Coningsby Clark).
Mr. W. H. Bailey.

5 Pianoforte Solos—Selected.
Luba Shafstain.
6 Humorous Numbers—Selected.
Diet Barly.

7 Songs—
(a) A Summer Night (Goring Thomas).
(b) Shine That Pass in the Night (Stephenson).
Mrs. Helen Lockhart.

8 Songs—
(a) Pluck This Little Flower (Landon Ronald).
(b) Alka Mine (Ernest Newton).
Mr. H. G. Anniss.

9 Violin Solo—Tarentella (Galkin).
Professor N. A. Tonoff accompanied by Luba Shafstain.

10 Songs—
(a) Honour and Arms (from "Samson") (Handel).
(b) The Arrow and the Song (Balfe).
Mr. W. H. Bailey.

11 Vocal Duets—
(a) Down in the Forest (Landon Ronald).
(b) O Lovely Night (Landon Ronald).
Mrs. Helen Lockhart and Mr. W. H. Bailey.

12 Pianoforte Solos—Selected.
Luba Shafstain.
10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.
10.35 p.m. Close Down.

RUBBER PRICES

LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

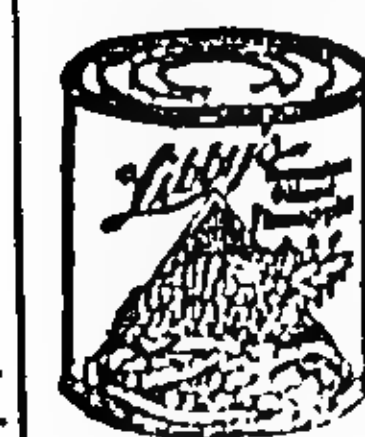
Messrs. Benjamin & Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (Buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw Rubber:

Spot	21 cts.
July/Sept.	22½ cts.
Oct./Dec.	22¼ cts.
Jan./Mar.	23¼ cts.
Market:	Quiet.

ALOHA!

Fresh from the land of Pineapples

Where those marked come from



Keep cool - - - -



.....In your sport, your business, your social activities. And your physical coolness is largely a matter of underwear.

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OXFORD'S DEBACLE

AUSSIES WIN BY INNINGS

EBELING TAKES 4 FOR 34

DE SARAM HITS A CENTURY

London, May 21. Yet another member of the Australian cricket attack came into prominence to-day. When, playing against Oxford University, whom the Australians defeated by an innings and 33 runs in two days, H. I. Ebeling, the young Victorian trundler, took four wickets for 34 runs. The Australians completely outplayed the Varsity, who made such a poor showing in their initial visit to the crease that Ebeling and Fleetwood-Smith sent them back for 70.

Fleetwood-Smith, who has already proven his value on English wickets, returned the imposing figures of 5 for 30.

Following on, the Oxonians did a little better, but not sufficient to pass the Australians' 317, and the last wicket fell at 216.

P. C. de Saram, former All Ceylon player, proved that the attack could be hit if it was met in the right way, and his innings of 128 was exceptionally fine under the circumstances.

Charlie Grimmett was the thorn in the side of the University in this second innings, although his success was not gained cheaply, seven victims costing 109 runs.—*Reuter*.

MYSTERIOUS DEATH OF CRICKETER

MAURICE NICHOL

London, May 21. Maurice Nichol, the Worcester cricketer, 29 years of age, was found dead in his bed at the hotel where he was staying. The cause of death is not yet known.

Nichol, a popular member of the eleven, played against Essex in the match of Saturday last. Yesterday he was golfing and apparently in the best of health.—*Reuter*.



H. I. EBELING.

UNIVERSITY COURSE IN ATHLETICS

British A.A.A. Plans With Summer School

London. A University course in athletics That is what the Amateur Athletic Association has arranged in conjunction with Loughborough College Summer School this year.

This will be the first Summer Course in Athletics ever held in this country and it will open on August 18 and continue until September 1.

The Course in Athletics will be in charge of Captain F. A. M. Webster and he will have as tutors such famous athletes as H. M. Abraham, G. P. Best, J. Dalrymple T. Hampson, R. L. Howland, E. A. Montague, M. C. Nokes, B. G. D. Rudd and A. S. Turk.

The fee will be £5.0.0. for the whole fortnight or £3.10.0. for either the first or second week. These fees will include board and accommodation and all social and recreational facilities, such as swimming, lawn tennis, dancing and the use of the College gymnasium.

Four special courses have been arranged, namely:

Cross-country running, lecturer, Mr. E. J. Holt.
Dietetics of Athletics, lecturer, Mr. Adolphe Abrahams.
Judging Field Events, lecturer, Mr. Denis Lyons.
Team Management, lecturer, Mr. A. S. Turk.

TO-DAY'S LEAGUE TENNIS

AN ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME

I.R.C. MAY BE EXTENDED BY U.S.R.C.

(By "Veritas").

Although it is a little too early to claim that the teams have sorted themselves out, last Tuesday's results lend a valuable guide to prospects for this afternoon's "A" Division league tennis programme.

There are two or three very interesting engagements. The United Services, who a week ago put up such a fine showing against the Hongkong Cricket Club, visit Sookunpoo to oppose the new formations of the Indian Recreation Club.

The I.R.C. have every reason to be satisfied with their experiment, and there is little doubt that the Rumjahn cousins will split up again to nurse Cansumhoy and Razack. Nevertheless, the Indians may not have things entirely their own way. Last Tuesday indicated that it required a really strong pair to overcome any of the U.S.R.C. combinations, and everything points to the whole of the responsibility of winning falling on the shoulders of the Rumjahn and their partners.

Another tie which will excite interest is that between the Kowloon Cricket Club and Hongkong Cricket Club.

Incidentally I have heard sounds of dissension within the latter's house. Not among the team, but caused by resentment of the Club's policy not to play home league matches during mid-week. I trust everything will soon be smoothed out.

The K.C.C. are making no changes from last week's team, and unless stronger support can be given the Duff-Goldman combination, the Kowloon team should just about win, although I cannot conceive a very wide margin separating the teams at the close.

Craigsgower enter the arena, unhappily for them against the C.R.C. first string. But it is a home game, and strengthened by the inclusion of A.V. Gosano (although robbed of the services of Tam Yee-ong), the three "C's" may make their presence felt.

The C.R.C. second team entertain the Recoils, and this should be an excellent game, with the result probably depending on the odd set. The third string are due to visit South China, but whether the latter's courts are yet ready I have not heard. Presumably, however, the match is on.

The full programme, with home teams given first, follows:

"A" DIVISION.	
C.C.C.	Y. C.R.C. "A"
C.R.C. "B"	Recoils
S. China	C.R.C. "C"
I.R.C.	U.S.R.C.
K.C.C.	H.K.C.C.

KOWLOON GOLF CLUB

Qualifying Round For Summer Cup

The last competition of the Kowloon Golf Club season attracted an entry of 28 players for the qualifying round of the Summer Cup on Sunday.

W. M. Graves returned a good card of 77-11=88 to head the qualifiers while A. L. Eastman's 73 was the best scratch score of the day.

The following qualified:
W. M. Graves 77-11=88.
A. L. Eastman 73-0=73.
R. Collings 79-8=71.
L. D. Purves 83-12=71.
D. C. Wilson 77-6=72.
A. R. Bruley 78-6=72.
D. Parsons 90-18=72.
A. J. Denals 83-10=73.
P. E. Booker 80-0=74.
G. Milne 82-8=74.
J. King 90-15=75.
G. F. Murphy 87-11=70.
S. MacNider 88-12=70.
R. Henderson 91-18=70.
S. Jex 88-11=77.
W. Stoker 94-15=70.



An interesting picture taken when Perry and Boussus met in the international tennis match in Paris last year, showing the players crossing over between the games. On that occasion Perry won easily yesterday, on the same court, he was well beaten by the Frenchman.

FRED PERRY BEATEN BY BOUSSUS

Listless Display Against Bright Opponent

Paris, May 21. Spectators at the Stade Roland Garros to-day were electrified to see France's No. 1 singles Davis Cup player, Christian Boussus defeat Fred J. Perry, leading English exponent, in the course of the annual international tennis contest between France and England. Boussus won 6-4, 2-6, 7-5.

Maintaining fine control over the ball, Boussus was clearly the better player on the day's showing. He was up against a rather listless Perry, whose shots lacked sting, and who was prone to double faulting, states *Reuter*.

Frenchmen were jubilant at the result, following as it did upon the successes of Boussus in the Davis Cup match against Austria during the week-end. Boussus has undoubtedly improved tremendously during the past twelve months, and promises to be a worthy successor to Cochet, the French Davis Cup idol.

When, in the same event, Boussus and Perry met in Paris last year, the Englishman won very comfortably in straight sets at 6-3, 6-3.

Results during the last year, however, have indicated that Perry is not a three-set player. In the quite recent Test matches in Australia, he suffered a number of reverses in three set games, whereas in five-set contests, he carried all before him.

HARVEY AND PETERSEN

FIGHT IN JUNE FOR £12,000 PURSE

On the Monday of Derby week, June 4, Len Harvey and Jack Petersen will have their return meeting at the White City. Jeff Dickson is the promoter, and contracts were signed recently.

Two heavy-weight titles will be at stake, that of Great Britain which Harvey won from Petersen last November, and the British Empire Championship, which he took from Larry Gains 11 weeks ago.

The British Boxing Board of Control in giving official recognition to the bout as a championship contest imposes the condition that the winner agrees to meet the winner of the bout between George Cook, the Australian, and Don McCordindale, of South Africa.

Of the Purse of £12,000 Harvey, as champion will receive £7,000 and Petersen, an ex-champion, the remainder.

Petersen's eye, injured in his last contest, has mended and he will start training at once at Cardiff.

TSUI WAI PUI IN SINGLES

RUMJAHN COUSINS DOUBLES

THURSDAY'S BIG ATTRACTION

Hongkong best tennis talent has promised to turn out against the Japanese Olympic players at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Thursday afternoon.

Tsui Wai-pui, local champion, who will play singles. S.D. and H.D. Rumjahn, doubles champions, who will figure in a doubles, probably against Hyotaro Satoh and Amagishi.

L. Goldman and E. C. Fincher, who will also play in a doubles.

Subject to the approval of the Japanese team, the tennis programme will consist of two doubles and one singles, each of two sets. Tsui Wai-pui will probably meet Satoh in the singles.

Prominent local athletes will also participate in the track and field events which precede the tennis. It is hoped that the Army will be well represented, as well as the University and other clubs whose membership includes outstanding athletes.

Weather permitting, the event on Thursday should provide one of the biggest sporting attractions Hongkong has enjoyed for a long time.

Admission to the K.C.C. will be one dollar including tax, entrance to the ground being next to the Children's Playground in Cox's Road.

L.B.W. EXPERIMENT

GIVEN TRIAL IN ENGLAND

An interesting experiment with regard to a possible change at some future date in the L.B.W. rule was tried out at Lord's in the M.C.C. v. Surrey and Yorkshire matches which began on May 2 and May 5 respectively.

The umpires were told that the batsman may be given out L.B.W.

"If a ball pitches outside the off stump and breaks in hitting the batsman on the pads and would in the umpire's opinion have hit the stumps but for the intervention of the batsman's legs which are in a line between the wickets and wickets."

I cannot describe the experiment as a novelty because V. W. C. Jupp, of Northants, told me at Scarborough last year that he had played a three days match on the county ground with this rule in force and the whole game was completed in a day and a half, writes A. E. R. Gilligan.

It will, however, be something new at Lord's, and the M.C.C. Committee is to be warmly congratulated on trying out an experiment which may have a far-reaching result and may perhaps cause a revolution in the laws of the game.

The public is sick of the two-eyed stance, the covering up of the



SEAMAN ROWLES.

ROWLES AND EWIN

WIN FIGHTS FOR PORTS IN FLEET TOURNEY

KEEN INTER-PORT BOXING

London, April 26. The Home Fleet retained possession of the Inter-Port Cup in the open Royal Navy and Royal Marines boxing championships at Portsmouth last night with 16pts. against 10 to Chatham, 6 to Portsmouth, and 4 to Devonport.



A. B. EWIN.

A. B. Rowles (Home Fleet), who won the heavy-weight title last year, was this year fighting in the light heavy-weight class, and he won that title by means of knock-outs in both semi-final and final rounds.

Results of other finals:
Fly-weight.—A/B Ferris (Home Fleet) w.o.
Bantam.—E/A Burke (Portsmouth) beat O/S Morris (Chatham).
Fencher.—O/S Prandy (Chatham) beat A/B Kenfwell (Home Fleet).
Light.—Stoker Jacobs (Home Fleet) beat Shipwright Rubbery (Home Fleet).
Welter.—A/B Ewin (Chatham) knocked out A/B Ered (Home Fleet) in the first round.

Middle.—A/B Wakelin (Home Fleet) beat A/B Storrie (Chatham).
Heavy.—Tel. Puddelphat (Devonport) beat Stoker Mirrell (Chatham).

whole wicket with the pads, and the monotony of a batsman patting the ball harmlessly to the fielders within close reach of the stumps.

Philippines Ought To Apologise To China

CURT COMMENT BY MANILA PAPER ON OLYMPICS DISRUPTION

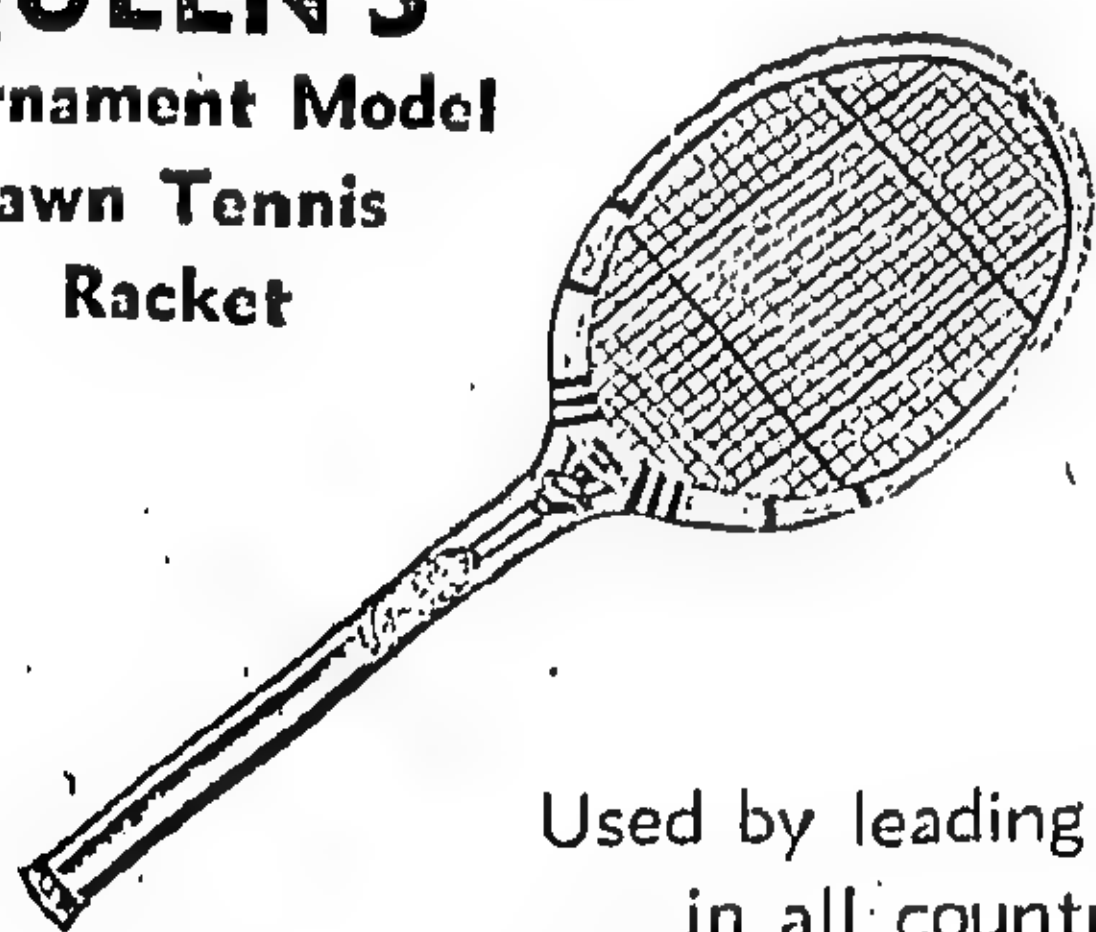
The Far Eastern Olympics of 1934 has ended in disruption. The dissolving of the original Far Eastern Athletic Association, and the formation by Japan and the Philippines of a so-called Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient, has been followed by China's intimation to refuse to participate under such a body.

The Chinese delegation in Manila, in a note to Nanking allege that political influence was brought to bear by Japan regarding the formation of a new Association, with the object of securing Manchukuo's admission.

The Manila *Bulletin*, in a curtly worded editorial, condemns the Philippines representatives for allowing themselves to be a party to "such a shabby procedure" as bowing China out of the picture, and suggests that the least the Philippines can do is to tender a profound apology to China.

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END OF THE FAR EASTERN ATHLETIC ASSN:

UNHAPPY FINISH TO OLYMPICS

JAPAN AND PHILIPPINES FORM A NEW ASSOCIATION

CHINA INTIMATES REFUSAL TO PARTICIPATE

The Far Eastern Athletic Association has dissolved following the dissension caused between China and Japan and the Philippines over the interpretation of constitutional articles of the Association, and yesterday the Philippines and Japan agreed to organise a new body to be known as the Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient.

The incidents have caused much heartburning, but the officials of the new body have been appointed. Meanwhile China has intimated that she cannot participate in Games under the auspices of such an Association.

Even the Olympic Games were washed out yesterday, the tennis being left undecided owing to rain.

Manila, May 21. When the Congress resumed this morning the Japanese and Philippine delegates dissolved the Far Eastern Athletic Association and set about organising an Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient with a constitution identical to that of the Far Eastern Athletic Association with the exception of Article 3 which requires two-thirds of the members to vote for the admission of new members instead of a unanimous vote.

It was agreed to invite all oriental countries, including Manchukuo and China to participate. Acting upon the Manchukuo Amateur Athletic Association's application to the Far Eastern Athletic Association, the Philippines and Japan voted to automatically accept and grant membership in the Amateur Athletic Association of the Orient if an application is formally addressed to the New Association.

The following officers were appointed: Hon. President:—The Hon. Mr. Manuel Quezon, President of the Senate of the Philippines Islands; President, Dr. Ryozo Hirayama, a member of the Japanese House of Peers and Director of the Japanese Delegation to the Tenth Olympiad at

Manila, Vice-President, Dr. Jorge Vargas, President of the Philippines Amateur Athletic Federation; Hon. Secretary, Dr. Takashi Goh, of the Secretariat of the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association; Committee on Constitution of organization, Dr. Regino Ylanan, Secretary of the Philippines Amateur Athletic Federation and Dr. Terutaro Abe, Japanese Delegate to the Manila Games, and a member of the Secretariat of the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association.

The meeting then adjourned.—United Press.

CHINA QUILTS

Breaks From Far East Organisation

Manila, May 21. The Far Eastern Athletic Association is to be dissolved after 20 years of organization. At this morning's meeting, which was not participated in by China, the delegates of Japan and the Philippines adopted a resolution that the F.E.A.A. is to be dissolved and an Eastern Seas Amateur Athletic Association organized instead.

TENNIS TITLE

H. Satoh Wins From Aragon

Manila, May 21. Hyotaro Satoh, the Japanese tennis player, defeated Francisco Aragon, of the Philippines by 6-2, 8-6, 6-8, 8-6. As soon as the match was resumed this morning rain fell and there was an inch of water on the court when the match finished.

The other postponed matches have not yet started.

TENNIS ABANDONED.

Because the Japanese team sailed early this afternoon, the men's tennis was considered unfinished and no trophy was presented.

The women's tennis is still uncertain.—United Press.

WOMEN'S TENNIS.

Manila, May 21. Misses Ochoa and Calma beat the Misses Wong, China's representatives, 6-3, 6-1, in a tennis match today.

The Philippines and China met again to-morrow to complete the tennis singles matches, and weather permitting, these two matches will conclude the games.—United Press.

It is expected that the new association will include in its membership Philippines, Japan and Manchukuo.

CHINA'S POSITION. A statement has been issued by the Chinese Delegation headed by Dr. C. T. Wang, declaring China's non-recognition of the amendment of Article 3 of the constitution of the F.E.A.A., which was passed at yesterday's meeting by the delegates of the Philippines and Japan. The clause provides that the nation, acting as host for the games, will have the right to invite non-members to participate.

The statement commenced by recalling the organization of the Association 21 years ago, when China joined the membership with the hope of promoting friendly relations between nations in the Far East.

New members, it continues, should only be admitted by unanimous consent of the Congress, and Japan's contemplation in altering the present rules will probably create ill feeling between the members.

Article 14, provides that amendments may be passed by a two-third majority of all the members of the Congress and not, as it is now interpreted by the Japanese delegates, those present at the meeting.

Therefore, it concludes, any amendment that is not passed according to the provision stated above, is considered illegal by China, and she has decided to remain outside the new body.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

Upsets At Yesterday's Race Meeting

PUNTERS LET DOWN IN HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

The second day of the fifth extra meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club proved expensive for most punters, surprise results being the order. Nevertheless, excellent sport was witnessed, and a large holiday crowd gathered at Happy Valley for the programme.

The Results.

1.—Hwang Ho Handicap, "C" Class (1 Mile).
Cheung & Wo's High Speed 160 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 1
Tally Ho's Daylight Eve 145 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 2
Harbrad's Zero 140 lbs. (Mr. Deitz) 3
Won by three quarters length; a length.
Time: 2:02.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$11.60; Places \$6.50; \$5.00; \$3.30.
2.—Bohea Handicap (8 Furlongs).
Dynasty's King's Fancy 161 lbs. (Mr. Butler) 1
Li Shiu-pang's Soldier of Germany 158 lbs. (Mr. Soares) 2
Quarto's Spinaway 161 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 3
Won by a length; three lengths.
Time: 1:28.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$11.80; Places \$6.50; \$5.00.
3.—West River Handicap, "D" Class (1 Mile).
H. Y. Liang's Iron Grey 143 lbs. (Mr. Tang Man-wa) 1
C. B. Brown's Fudge 168 lbs. (Mr. Poy) 2
K. H. W.'s Gay Butterfly 158 lbs. (Mr. Carvalho) 3
Won by a neck; half length.
Time: 2:07.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$90.90; Places \$13.50; \$26.00; \$27.90.
4.—Yangtze Handicap. For China ponies "B" Class. Six furlongs.
L. Dunbar's Oak Bay 164 lbs. (Mr. Proulx) 1
Lan's Bright Star 160 lbs. (Mr. Liang) 2
Hem's Gladiator 160 lbs. (Mr. Heard) 3
Won by a head; a neck.
Time: 1:28.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$16.90; Places \$8.50; \$28.20; \$14.
5.—Whitton Plate. For China ponies. One and a quarter miles.
A. M. L. Soares' Sadko 164 lbs. (Mr. Harman) 1
Dynasty's Hotman 163 lbs. (Mr. P. P. Botelho) 2
Li Shiu-pang's Soldier of Britain 159 lbs. (Mr. Deitz) 3
Won by two lengths; three lengths.
Time: 2:20.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$19.10; Places \$9.30; \$25.50.
6.—Polo Pony Scoury (Unofficial). Three furlongs.
J. L. Jordan's Stickypast 168 lbs. (Mr. Jordan) 1
J. L. Jordan's Darden 163 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 2
J. L. Jordan's Winchester Stag 160 lbs. (Mr. Stanton) 3
Won by a head; short head.
Time: 2:11.2 mins.
Parimutuel: Win \$91.90; Places \$22.80; \$15.20; \$8.10.

TURF PROGRAMME

Third Extra Meeting Of Macao Club

The programme for the Third Extra Meeting of the Macao Jockey Club to be held on June 10 in Macao appear below:

1. Ma On Shan Handicap. Winner \$150. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscription Grifflins of this Club of the Season. Top Weight will not exceed 10 lb. over "Weight for Inches as per Scale." Lowest Weight 135 lb. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won 10 races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

2. Chiu Wah Shan Handicap. (Second Section). Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by The Hongkong Jockey Club as "D" and "E" Classes. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—Entry only will be made for Chiu Wah Shan Handicap. Entries will be divided into First and Second Section at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3. Chiu Wah Shan Handicap. (First Section). Winner \$150. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies classified by The Hongkong Jockey Club as "D" and "E" Classes. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

4. Mo Kan Shan Plate. Winner \$200. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies classified by The Hongkong Jockey Club as "C" Class. Weight 145 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every \$200 or part thereof won in Stakes since 1st January, 1934. Ponies unplaced this year allowed 5 lb. Jockey allowance. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

5. June Meeting Handicap. Winner \$200. Second \$100. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Non-running Grifflins of this Season and "C" Class Ponies that have not won more than \$500 in Stakes since 1st January, 1934. Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

6. Volunteer Handicap. (Unofficial). Winner \$125. Second \$75. Third \$50. For China Ponies certified by the O. C. Machine Gun Troop, H.K.V.D.C. as "Regular Troop Ponies." To be ridden by Members of the Troop. Entrance \$5. Seven Furlongs.

7. Ladies Dash. (Unofficial). Winner \$100. Second \$75. Third \$50. A Handicap for China Ponies. Subscription Grifflins of The Macao Jockey Club of this Season. Top Weight will not exceed 150 lb. Lowest Weight 125 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. Half a Mile.

Entries close at Noon on Thursday, May 31, at the Secretary's Office, Messrs. Benjamin & Potts, new Stock Exchange Building, Ice House Street.

Cash Sweep Results.

Race 1.
No. 278 \$405.30
" 192 115.80
" 184 67.90
Unplaced ponies (\$25 each): Nos. (Continued on Page 4).

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Sixth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday, 2nd June, 1934. (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Buildings; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, the 24th May, 1934.

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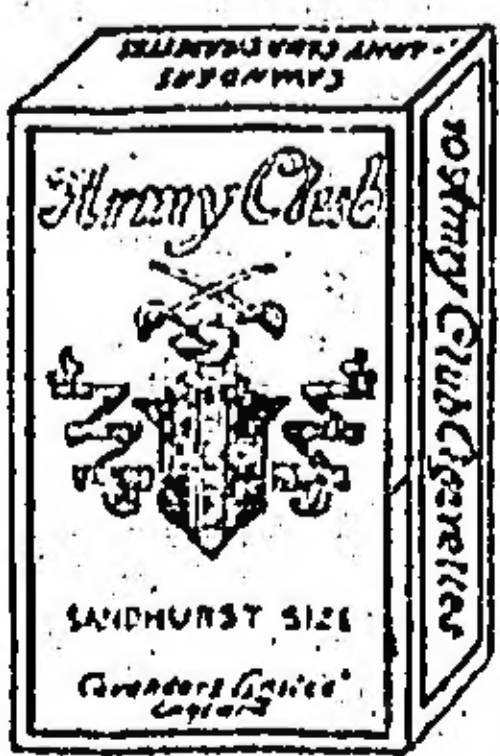
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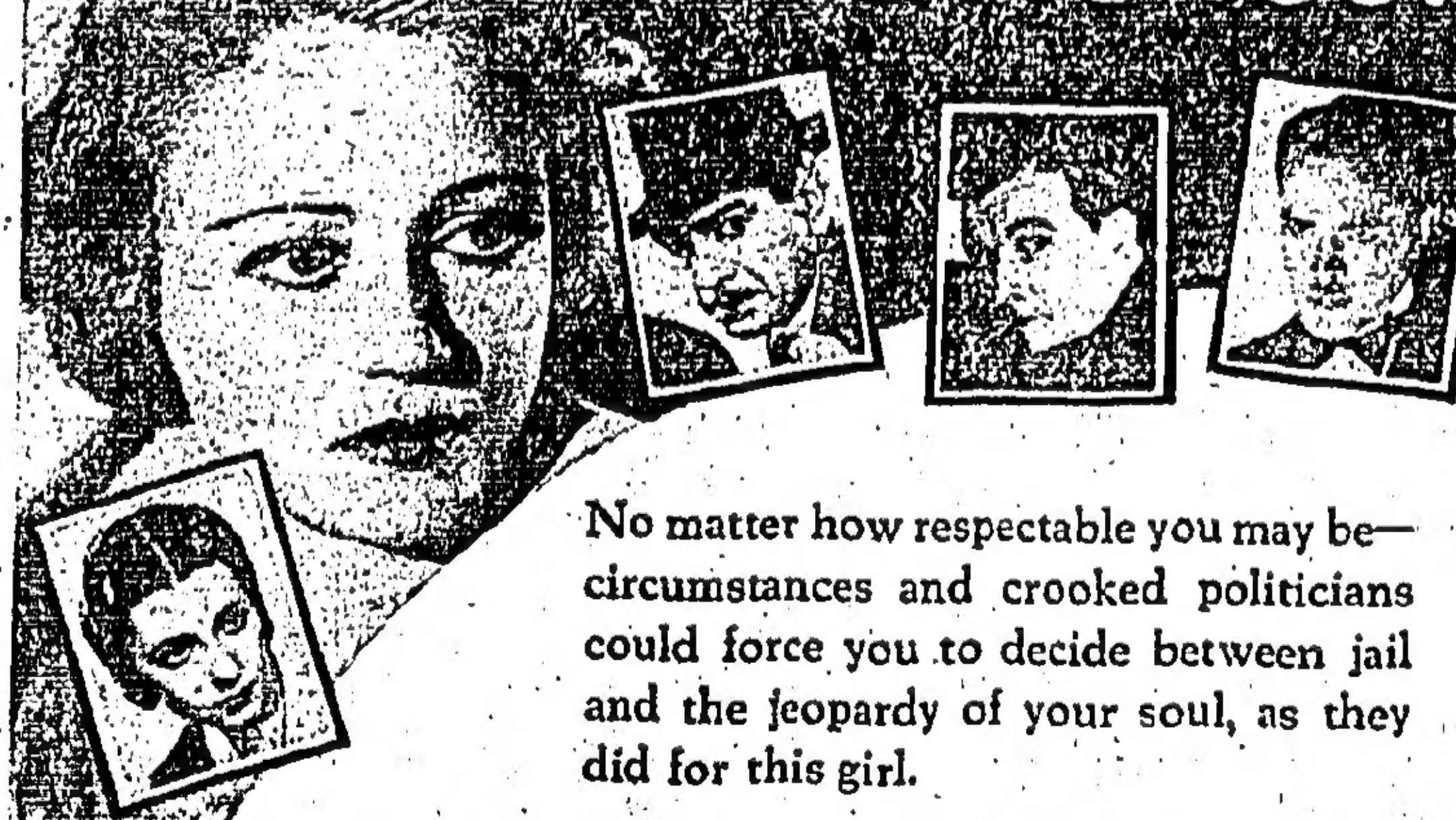
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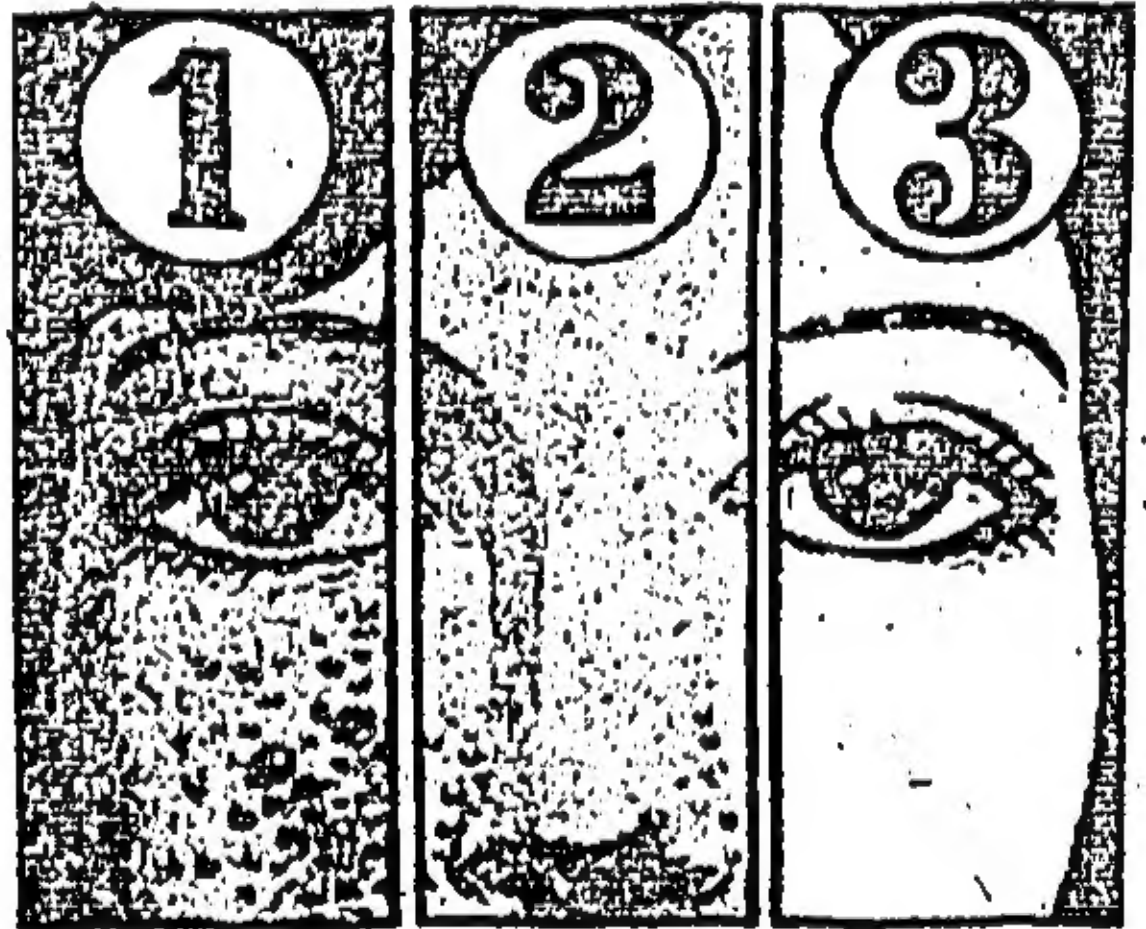
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JUNK PIRATED

FISHERMEN ROBBED NEAR HONGKONG

A cargo junk, of 397 piculs capacity, was pirated off Lema Islands, in Chinese waters on Saturday afternoon. Eight pirates, all having the appearance of fishermen, and armed with revolvers, participated, and after terrorizing the master, the crew and their families, sailed away in a large three-masted craft carrying with them \$60 in Hongkong bank notes and other property to the total value of \$235.

On their approach to the cargo junk, the pirates opened fire, but nobody was injured.

News of the outrage reached Police headquarters in a report made by Cheung Pang-sing, 39, master of the junk on its arrival in port yesterday. He stated that on Thursday he left Po Toi, Stanley, with a crew of nine men, their wives and families, to go fishing off Lema Islands. At 2 p.m. on Saturday when the junk was off Yau-mun, a point on the island, he and his crew were fishing in two small boats when a three-masted fishing junk, of about 400 piculs capacity approached. She had a main and four smaller sails. She dived alongside and eight men armed with revolvers fired several shots.

The master and crew had by then returned to their craft to protect the women and children. They were huddled together in the middle hold while the pirates proceeded to ransack the vessel and after this, they ordered the crew to return to the deck where they were searched.

Immediately afterwards the pirates left, sailing west of the Lema Islands.

BY FALSE PRETENCE.

CHINESE SWINDLES MONEY FROM FOUR COOLIES

A promise of a job in the Botanical and Forestry Department led four coolies to part with various sums of money last week. They found out the deception on Sunday and took the man who fooled them to the Hunghom Police Station.

Charging Liu Cheong before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday with obtaining money by false pretences, Sergeant Whelan said that defendant obtained sums of 50 cents, \$1, \$1.20 and \$2 from the four complainants, promising them each a job with the Botanical and Forestry Department. Defendant was to have taken them out to Yuen Long to their new jobs on Sunday, but after they had waited a long time, the lorry, which was to have taken them there, failed to show up. The four complainants became suspicious and took defendant to the Hunghom Police Station.

Two of the complainants, said Sergeant Whelan, were employed as coolies in the erection of the new Magistracy in Kowloon, while another was engaged in W. S. Bailey's Shipyard, at Cheung-shawan.

Defendant pleaded guilty to all charges, and was sentenced to three months.



CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

"Sleepers East," check-full of excitement, romance, adventure, intrigue, drama and humour, comes to the King's Theatre on Thursday. It is the new Fox Film based on Frederick Nebel's best selling novel of the same name, and has a stellar array of players in its principal roles. The story concerns a young girl who quite involuntarily finds herself the only eye-witness to a murder. She tries to avoid being questioned, for her friends that both her speaking and her silence would involve the fate of some human being. She chooses to remain out of sight for the sake of her own reputation. But the battle of the opposing factions does not leave her as peaceful as she hoped to be. In one of the most ingenious of plots, the truth becomes known and she is permitted to live her own life again. The principal roles in a large cast of performers are played by Wynne Gibson, Preston Foster, Mona Barrie, Harvey Stephens, Rogers Imhof, J. Carroll, Niall, Howard Lally and Suzanne Karen. Kenneth MacKenna directed from the screen play by Lester Cole.

"20,000 Years in Sing Sing"

Chalk up another smash hit for Warner Bros., who have been giving us the greatest lot of motion pictures we have seen this year or any other year. In "20,000 Years in Sing Sing" which is showing from Thursday at the Queen's Theatre, the Warner Bros. First National studios have taken the sensational book of the same title by Lewis E. Lawes, Warden of Sing Sing Prison, and imbued it with a vitality and appeal that will make it one of the most stirring film epics this reviewer has seen. It is a picture which grips you, that holds you, fascinates you from start to finish. For it presents in a most graphic style the lives and emotions of 1,000 men without women, and these women without—who wait for their men to serve their time with an undying loyalty—that even if misplaced, is nevertheless touching in its depth. There is comedy, and poignant pathos to relieve the gripping story. To Spencer Tracy must go the palm for one of the most sincerely impressive characterizations he has given. His work is a masterpiece. Spencer Tracy, as seen as Tom Connors, a former "big shot" who is sentenced to Sing Sing for an indefinite period from five to 30 years. But this play, the role of his sweetheart who is willing to wait until he has served his sentence, and hers too, is an inspired performance. We are not going to tell you the story because we want you to see it for yourself. The entire cast has been picked with the most careful attention to the smallest bit part that characterizes all Warner pictures. Mitchell Cullitz's direction is superb. You'll never forget "20,000 Years in Sing Sing," after you have seen it.

"Search for Beauty"

Add to embarrassing moments the experience of Alfred Delambre, new Paramount player, who "panned" his own picture. He had turned out to honour him. When Delambre left his native Dallas, Texas, for Hollywood as one of the thirty winners in Paramount's international contest for "Search for Beauty," the dramatic picture, a hand-picked group of men and women were chosen to play the part of the group who won long term contracts, he hustled back to Dallas to drive his car to California. Stopping off the last car of the train, he found the platform packed by a crowd of several hundred persons, and from one of them he learned they were there to see "some movie actor from Hollywood." With a bit of cynical wonderment, he joined the crowd and stood on its outskirts for some moments. Then someone recognized him. The welcoming party was for him. He had forgotten, for the moment, that he was an actor! In "Search for Beauty," Delambre is featured with the other twenty-nine contest winners. The principal players are Larry "Buster" Crabbe, Ida Lupino, Robert Armstrong, James Gleason, Roscoe Karns and Toby Wing. The picture tells the story of how two crooked promoters try to cash in on a health farm racket using two famous Olympic games winners as their fronts. It was directed by Erle Kenton.

"Fashions of 1934"

One of the most elaborate fashion displays ever presented on the screen is shown in the First National picture, "Fashions of 1934," which is showing at the Queen's Theatre. William Powell in the stellar role. The latest and most exclusive Parisian and Hollywood styles are presented at the show, including evening gowns and wraps, sport suits, negligees, dainty lingerie,

EXPLOSION DRAMA

COUNSEL BRIEFED FOR OFFICIAL INQUIRY

The great importance attached to the official inquiry into the West Point Gas Works explosion, to be held at a forthcoming date, nominally, in connection with the death of Tala Ram, one of the victims, is indicated by the fact that Counsel have been retained to appear for interested parties.

The interested parties are the Hongkong & China Gas Co., Ltd.; four Insurance Companies, namely the China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., the British Traders Insurance Co., Ltd., the Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd. and the South British Insurance Co., Ltd.; and certain property owners whose names are not disclosed.

Counsel retained include three of the leading members of the Bar. Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., it is understood, will be appearing at the inquiry for the Gas Company, on instructions from Messrs. Deacons; whilst Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., with Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Messrs. Johnston Stokes & Masters, will represent all four Insurance Companies. At the same time, it is understood that Mr. Jenkin has also been instructed by Messrs. Hastings & Co., to watch the interests of the property owners.

No date has yet been fixed for the opening of the inquiry at which the Coroner, Mr. E. W. Hamilton will have the assistance of a special jury, comprising Messrs. P. Tester, D. Drummond and L. Dunbar.

Second Watchman Dies

Another victim of the West Point gasometer disaster has succumbed to his burns, this being Santha Singh, a watchman of the Gas Works, who died at the Government Civil Hospital on Sunday afternoon.

There still remain 24 cases at the hospital whose condition is still giving cause for anxiety. Inflammation of the burns has now, in the majority of cases, set in, and the sufferers are in a toxic condition, which means that from now onwards they have to be very carefully watched, as complications are feared.

The death of Santha Singh has brought the complete list of casualties to 38, and the number of those who have died at the hospital to 24.

hunting and riding costumes. They are displayed by more than a score of beautiful girls playing the part of mannikins. The method of display is also unique. The show takes place in an elaborate salon in which tables are set with wines and delicacies for the customers. Not a sign of a gown is in sight for display purposes. Finally when the customers are beginning to wonder where the display is, the lights are turned out, and a circular platform with framed pictures of men and women of the past stands out at one end of the room. Lights are concentrated on one picture at a time from within the circle. The portrait goes up like a curtain and behind is revealed the pretty mannikin in the latest style. The portraits aroused to show the resemblance of the modern style to that of fifty or 100 years or more ago, it being claimed that styles go in cycles and that the Parisian couturiers copy many of their fashions from the past ages. The platform revolves slowly so that each style may be presented.

This is one of the spectacles that is presented in "Fashions of 1934," a romantic comedy drama in which an American promoter corners the Parisian market. Another mammoth spectacle is a fan dance in which 200 beautiful girls perform in feather costumes. Bette Davis has the leading feminine role opposite Powell, while others in the cast include Frank McHugh, Verree Teasdale, Reginald Owen, Henry O'Neill, Hugh Herbert, Philip Reed, Gordon Westcott, and Dorothy Burgess. William Dieterle directed. The specialty numbers are by Bushy Berkeley.

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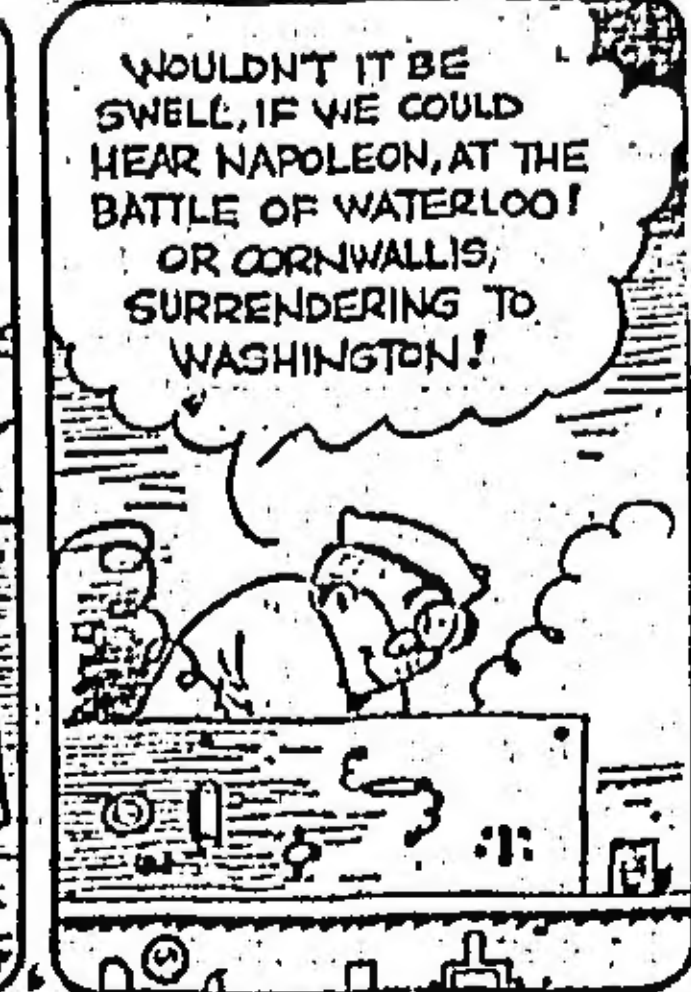
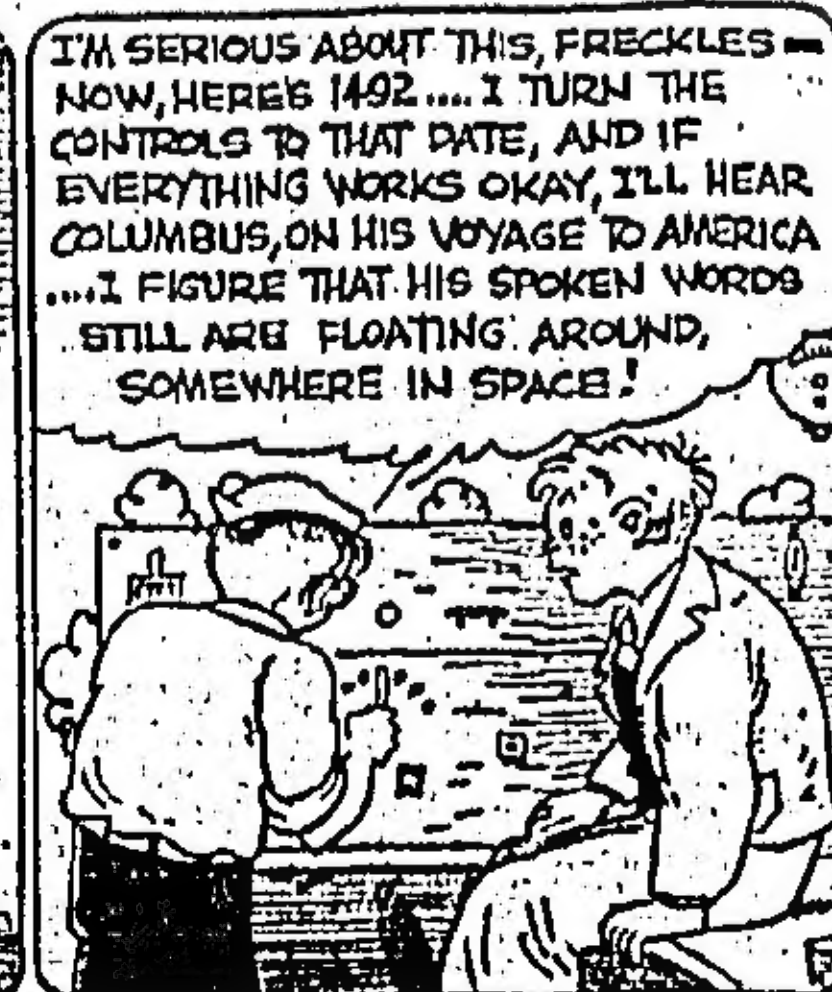
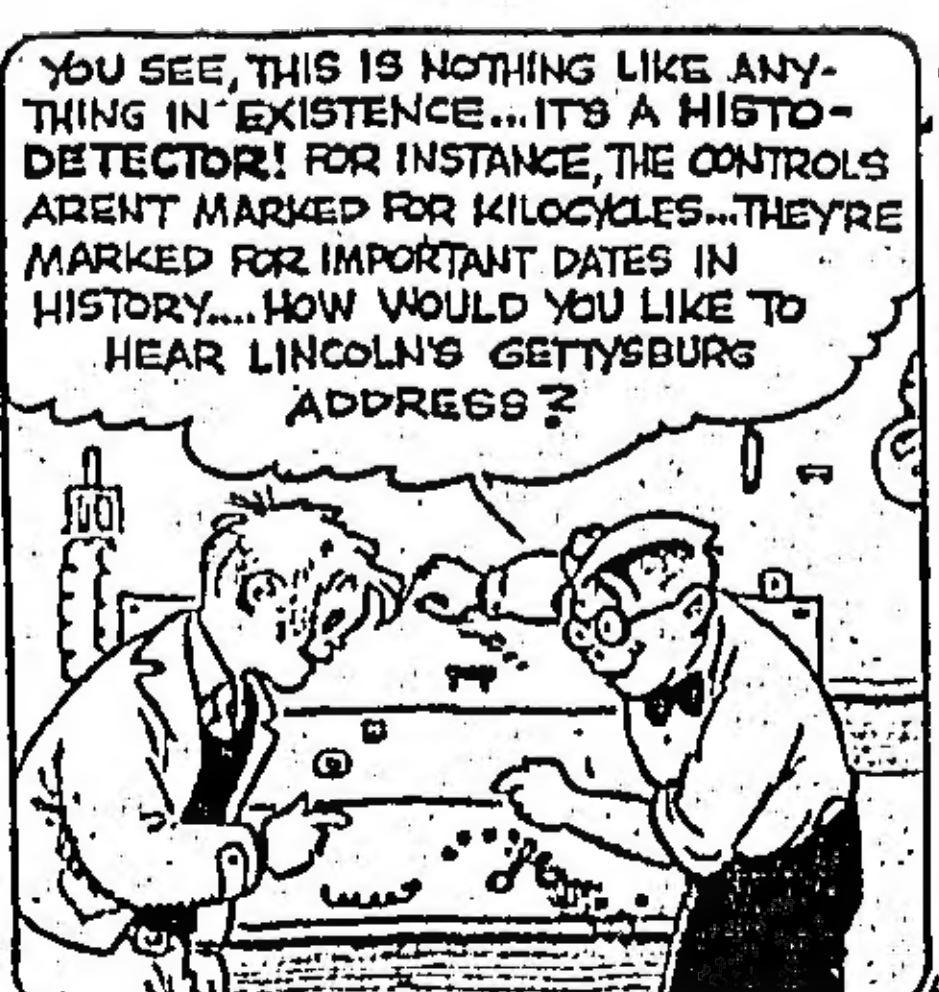
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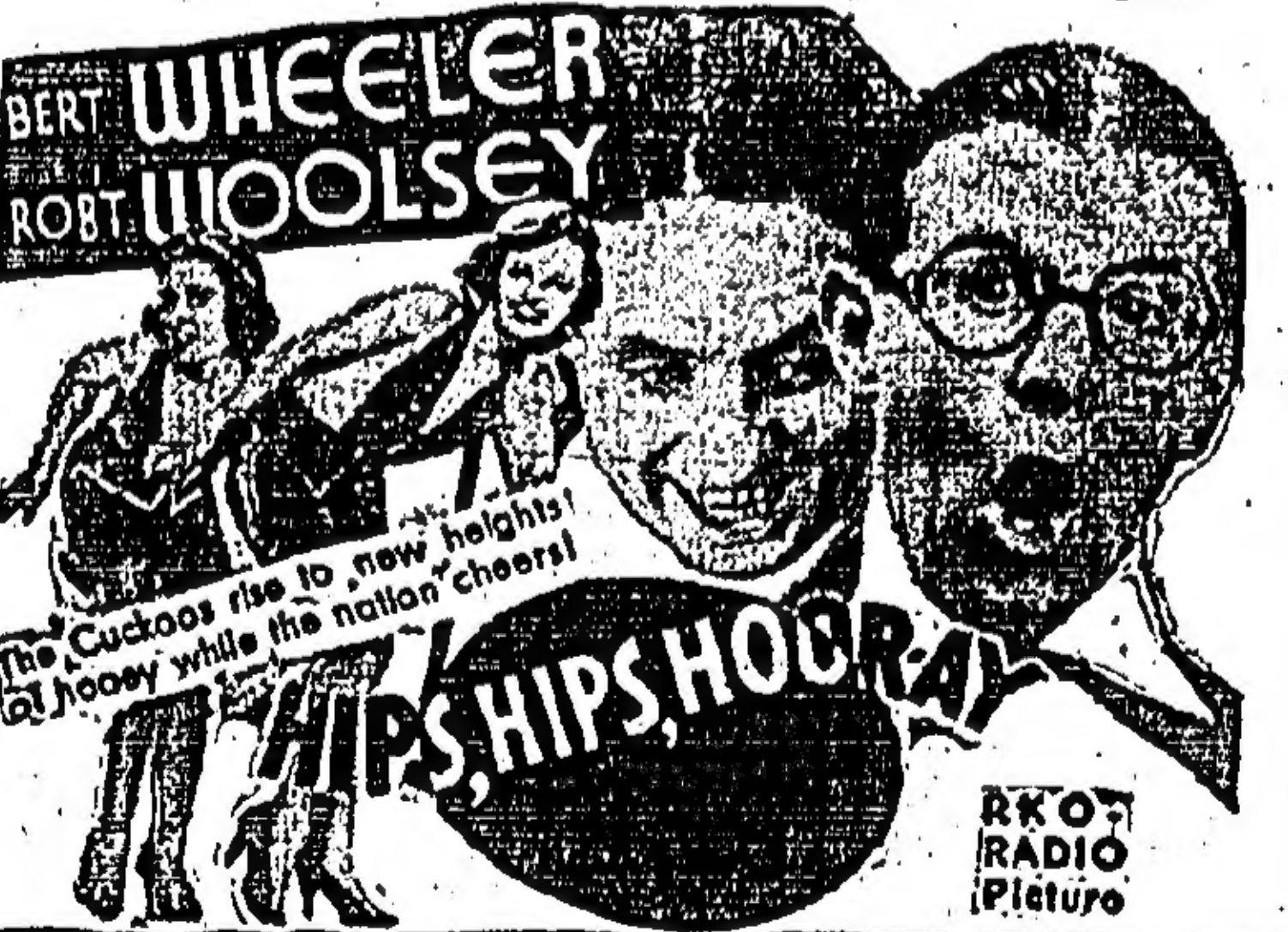
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GLOUCESTER ROAD OBSTRUCTION

EUROPEAN MOTORIST CAUTIONED.

The unusual excuse that he parked his car in the middle of Gloucester Road because when he had parked it on the correct side, cigarette-ends and other things were often thrown into it, was made by E. Greyer, of Messrs. Sander, Wieler and Co., when summoned before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, for having caused an obstruction with his car in Gloucester Road.

Traffic Inspector Nicol stated that the car was parked in the middle of the road. The police would not object if defendant parked the car in Marsh Street.

Mr. Hamilton cautioned defendant.

Marchisio Benedutto, of the Eastern Mercantile Company, was cautioned on a summons for having overtaken a moving vehicle in the controlled area in Whitfield.

Inspector Nicol said defendant passed a taxicab and another van.

Cheung Kit, a fireman, charged with stealing jewellery to the value of \$450 from the occupants of 8 Clarence Terrace, made a second appearance before Mr. Hamilton in the Central Police Court this morning. The jewellery consisted of a gold chain and appendages, hair ornaments, gold rings, a brooch, three pieces of jade and three pearls. Hearing was fixed for Friday at 2.30 p.m.

ECONOMY AXE IN BULGARIA

CABINET MINISTERS' CUT SALARIES

DISTURBANCES IN MACEDONIA

Sofia, May 21.

Except in Bulgaria's storm-centre, Macedonia, the Fascist coup d'etat appears to have been accompanied by complete calm among the general populace.

Sofia is rapidly returning to normal conditions.

The new Fascist government is wielding the economy axe vigorously.

Cabinet Ministers have received the most drastic cuts. They are to receive the equivalent of about \$350 per annum, instead of \$1,200 yearly under the old regime and they are required further to dispense with private railway carriages and official motor-cars.

Similar but lesser economies are being imposed upon all Government departments.

SOFA CURFEW LIFTED.

Sofia is quite quiet, enabling the curfew to be lifted and most of the police and military patrols to be withdrawn.

The censorship of telegrams leaving the country has also ceased.

Martial law is, however, being

SIR JOHN KELLY'S APPOINTMENT

PRINCIPAL NAVAL A.D.C. TO KING

London, May 21.

Admiral Sir John Kelly, the brother of Admiral Sir Howard Kelly, former C-in-C. China Station, has been appointed First and Principal Naval A.D.C. to His Majesty the King, in succession to Admiral Sir Reginald Tyrwhitt. The appointment takes effect from July 31. Admiral Sir John Kelly is commander-in-chief of the Home Fleet at present.

firmly enforced in Macedonia, where disturbances are reported to have occurred, although there is no confirmation.

MACEDONIAN ARRESTS.

It is also reported that the well-known Macedonia leader, Mihailoff, has been arrested.

A number of Macedonia leaders who were attending a party congress at Varna are reported to have been taken into custody and to have been interned at Lom.

BORDER INCIDENT

MOSLEMS SHOT BY BULGAR GUARDS

Four of a group of eight Bulgarian Moslems, who attempted to cross the Bulgarian border into Greece, were shot and killed by Bulgarian frontier guards in the district of Kuchukavak. A semi-official communique states that the Moslems were induced by foreign propagandists to leave clandestinely.

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The report reveals that the Italian colonist, who formerly proved one of the best labourers when, as an emigrant, he landed on foreign soil, is now showing his quality of endurance in Africa and on territory over which his own national flag is flying. The former-

ly arid sands of Tripoli, near the sea, comprise an area of about half a million acres, of which nearly one-third have already been brought under cultivation by the Italian colonists.

The latest statistics show that the concessions under cultivation already have more than a million forest trees, some 20,000,000 vines, 68,000 fruit trees, chiefly peaches, 68,000 mulberries for the cultivation of the silk worm, 2,200,000 almond trees, and nearly two million olive trees. There are 2,500 model farm-houses, more than 2,000 artificial wells, fourteen electric power stations with a vast network of wire lines, and some 200,000 acres of land reclaimed for cultivation.